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## Obituaries

**DORIS C. VALENTINE**

Doris Curran Valentine passed away Jan. 22, 2008 at the age of 88 at Ledgeview Living Center, West Paris, after a long battle with Alzheimer's.

Born Doris Cottrell Curran July 14, 1919, she was the daughter of John L. and Grace Curran of North Providence, R.I. She attended local grade schools and the difficult Classical High School, where her life's love of good books was born.

At the age of 18, she married William B. Dean of Providence, bearing their three children: Grace (Sandy), Bruce and Constance. Being a wonderful mother, she taught them her love of books and animals as they grew up on a farm with horses, sheep, geese, dogs and cats, which were in their care.

From her first visit to the White Mountains at age 12, Doris was awed and challenged, telling her mother on the trip home that she would climb them all someday. This she did, earning The Appalachian Mountain Club's coveted "4,000 Footer" Award twice in her subsequent years while climbing with her children, her cousin Marjorie, Nancy Freeman, and others.

To facilitate her time in the mountains she had a small cabin built near Jackson, N.H. The cabin became in some ways a refuge, as her long-troubled marriage ended with divorce.

In the spring of 1969, Doris began skiing at Sunday River.

**Card of Thanks**

The family of Dexter Stowell wishes to express its deep appreciation for the many expressions of kindness, caring and love given to us in our recent loss.

- The comforting messages in the lovely cards and telephone calls.
- The wonderful food arriving at just the right time.
- The beautiful flowers which brighten our home.
- The quick response and caring support of our Bethel Ambulance crew.
- The gentle, professional and timely care of Dr. William Medd and the nurses at Stephens Memorial Hospital as well as those at Maine Medical Center.

But, most of all, we are grateful for the warmth and respect for Dexter shown to us, his family.

*Thank you very much.*

*Jan  
Betsy and Tim and family  
Judy and Rob and family  
Nancy and Bill*

er Skiway. When there was a need, she helped the Ski Patrol "sweep" the trails at day's end. Learning of her training in caring for diabetics at the Joslin Clinic in Boston, she was invited to join the patrol. Earning her Red Cross and National Ski Patrol Certification through the summer, she began her 12 years' service with the Sunday River patrol that fall. Her assigned partner was Richard Valentine. Seven years later Doris and Richard were married. It was a marriage made in heaven.

But there was one sticking point. Richard's job took him all over the U.S. and on occasion to Europe for weeks at a time. This was solved early in their time together when in a rare call from work he asked, "How would you like a trip to Torino, Italy?" From then on Doris was rarely home alone for long. For a girl who had only once ventured beyond New England, this was a whole new world.

With Richard retiring in April 1987, Doris helped design their home on the old Spring Grove Farm in Bethel, moving by July 1988. She lived happily there with her husband until October 2003 when Alzheimer's and a broken hip required nursing care at Ledgeview.

Doris is survived by her husband, Richard; her daughters, Grace Dellefemine and Constance Dean of Jackson, N.H.; her grandchildren, Brenda Balfour of Cranston, R.I., Ronald Bussiere of Mt. Dora, Fla., Kevin Dellefemine of Providence, R.I. and Jason Clemons of Biddeford; by her cousin, Marjorie Doan of Jefferson, N.H., and three great-grandchildren. Doris was sadly predeceased by her son, W. Bruce Dean, Jr. in 1978.

At her request, no public funeral or celebration of her life will be held.

**EDNA R. HILTON**

Edna R. Hilton, 80, died Sunday, Jan. 20, 2008, at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Mass. Formerly of Andover, she resided on Remicks Lane, Kittery.

She was born in Andover on Oct. 4, 1927, a daughter of Henry and Viola (Cole) Roberts, and graduated from the Andover High School Class of 1946.

Edna had been employed as a chef for the Kittery School

Department for over 20 years until retirement.

She was an avid Beano player and she enjoyed life and lived life. She was well thought of and was a friend to all who knew her.

She was married in Andover on Feb. 3, 1947 to Lindon E. Hilton, who died in 1989.

Survivors include sons Russell "Dusty" Hilton and wife Ruth of Andover, Lance Hilton of Kittery; grandchildren, Joscelyn Hilton of Andover, Jason Hilton of Kittery; great-grandchildren, Jacob Hilton of Kittery, Emily Silva of Andover; a brother, Kenneth Roberts and wife Margaret of Rumford; many nieces and nephews; and was predeceased by a son, Rodney Hilton, a daughter, Melody Ann Hilton, and three sisters, Grace Simmons, Agnes Porter, and Ismay Meechan.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Jan. 26, at the Andover Congregational Church, Andover, with the Rev. Jane Rich officiating. Interment in the spring at the Woodlawn Cemetery, Andover. Those who desire, please contribute to the American Cancer Society, 1 Main Street, Suite 300, Topsham, ME 04086-1240 in her memory. Online condolences and memories may be shared at meaderfh@gwi.net.

**STEVE ANDERSON**

Steve Anderson of Bethel, went home to be with the Lord, Wednesday night, Jan. 23, 2008 after a long illness.

He was born on Aug. 23, 1945 in Brunswick, to parents, Aksel and Mabel Anderson. He was a lifelong resident of Bethel, attending schools in the local area, graduating from Woodstock High School in 1963, then was in the Army Reserves for six years.

In 1968, he married Patricia

Shannon, and they had two beautiful children, Brian and Eric. Steve worked for the Department of Transportation as a truck driver for 25 years, until he became ill and had to retire. He also worked for nine years at Mt Abram Skiway before that as a mountain groomer and chair lift operator.

Steve was a hunter, fisherman and fur trapper most of his life. When he became unable to trap any longer, he loved to read about it and talk to anyone who loved it too. He continued to hunt every year and shot his last deer this year, for which he was so proud and elated about. He also fell in love with Lake Aziscoos and fished it with his wife, Pat, for several summers.

Their grandchildren, Caylie Jo, Wyatt and Kayson were a source of great delight and enjoyment for him. He always looked forward to having them for sleepovers.

Steve was a member of Grace Fellowship Church in Oxford, where he attended since 1995. He was a born again Christian, and enjoyed being a part of that Body of Christ very much. He had a great deal of love and affection for Pastor Lloyd Waterhouse who became Steve's friend first, then his pastor.

He is survived by his lifelong partner and wife, Pat; his son, Brian and daughter-in-law, Shannon; three grandchildren, Caylie Jo, Eric Wyatt and Kayson Morse; a brother, Peter Anderson and his wife Nancy. Steve was preceded in death by his beloved son, Eric; both of his parents; grandparents; aunts and uncles. Steve will be sadly missed by all that knew him well. He will also be sadly missed by his special dog, Cindy, that was a constant companion to Steve these last 10 years.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Jan. 27, for family and friends at Grace Fellowship Church, which is located on the Poplar Road in Oxford, with the Rev. Lloyd Waterhouse officiating. Interment will be at the Riverside Cemetery in Bethel in the spring. In lieu of flowers, donations in Mr. Anderson's memory may be sent to the Grace Fellowship Church, c/o the Rev. Lloyd Waterhouse, P.O. Box 162, West Paris, ME 04289. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.oxfordhillsfuneralservices.com.

**Card of Thanks**

Thanks to all my family, friends, and neighbors for all my rides and support these past few weeks.

Karlene

**In Loving Memory of**

**Gayland J. Dooen**

**July 5, 1931 - Jan. 26, 2007**

The time has come that we must accept your good-bye and only say good morning in the bye and bye. We miss you and will cherish your love and memories forever.

*Love from your family*

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**KATHLEEN P. ROBERTS**

Kathleen P. (Ripley) Roberts of Norway passed away on Thursday, Jan. 24, 2008 at Market Square Health Care Center in South Paris after a long illness.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond R. Farr of West Paris; five children, Donald Warren Farr of Mechanic Falls and his wife Andrea, Brenda Lee Smith of Woodstock and her husband Ray, Nancy Lynn Hersey of Gray and her husband Brad, Kevin Raymond Farr of Oxford and his wife Dee and John Fordyce Farr of West Paris; nine grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild; two step grandchildren; eight step great-grandchildren; and one step great-great-grandchild; three half-sisters, Joanne Cooper of Buckfield, Flora Thayer and her husband Bruce of Norway and Florene Lawrence of Lewiston; a half-brother, Warren McAlister and his wife Bonnie of Florida; a stepbrother, Alfred Proctor; and many nieces and nephews, including Gary Herrick and his wife Denise, and son, Christopher of Florida; Charlene Manson and husband Dick, and daughters, Heather, Nicole and Megan of West Paris. She was predeceased by her mother, Doris McAlister; father, Archie; and stepmother, Edith (Proctor) McAlister; a sister, Nancy Herrick; a half-brother, Wesley McAlister; a step-sister, Rose Verrill; and two stepbrothers, Joseph and Kenneth Proctor.

Memorial services will be held at the Andrews Funeral Home, 64 Andrews Road, Bryant Pond on Saturday, Feb. 2, at 1 p.m.

**BARBARA E. FARR**

Barbara Eloise (McAlister) Farr, 80, of West Paris, died Saturday, Jan. 26, 2008 at the Veteran Home in South Paris following a period of failing health.

She was born Jan. 1, 1928, in South Paris, the eldest child of Archie Winfield and Doris Mae (McAlister) McAlister.

She attended Paris and Norway Schools and returned to night school in midlife to receive her diploma from Oxford Hills High School, graduating in 1973.

On March 30, 1947, she married Raymond Rudolph Farr Jr. in West Paris, where they raised a family of five children. In addition to being a wife and mother, she taught Sunday School at the First Universalist Church in West

Memorial services will be held on Thursday, Jan. 31, at 4 p.m., at Andrews Funeral Home, 64 Andrews Road, South Woodstock. Interment will be in Wayside Cemetery in West Paris in the spring. In lieu of flowers, the family is asking donations to be made to the Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris, in her memory, 477 High Street, South Paris, ME 04281.

**News and photos from clubs and organizations**

The Citizen welcomes submissions of news items and photographs from local clubs and organizations.

The deadline for clubs and organizational items is noon Monday, but earlier submission is appreciated.

Submissions can be dropped off at The Citizen office (behind the Bethel Town Office) or mailed to P.O. Box 109, Bethel, ME, 04217. During non-business hours, items can be placed in the mailbox outside our office. For further information, call 824-2444. News and photos can also be submitted by e-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com.

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## Wounded warriors chill out at Sunday River

Maine Handicapped Skiing was the site of camaraderie, friendly banter and winter sports for 23 disabled veterans and their guests this past weekend, for the annual Veterans/No Boundaries program.

The veterans, from all over the country, including New York, Arkansas, Tennessee, and Maine, arrived Thursday evening for registration and a welcome kick-off to the weekend.

"This is the best event we have been to," said Kelly Rice, wife of Marine Veteran Aaron Rice.

Aaron said, "There is a sense of community here, everyone works together."

Aaron and Kelly traveled to Maine for the Veterans/No Boundaries program from Mississippi.

They spent four days snowboarding,

dog sledding, and learning how to talk "Maine."

Aaron lost his left leg below the knee in March 2005 while deployed in Iraq, and since the injury he and Kelly both have become avid snowboarders.

Aaron will graduate in May from Mississippi State University, but plans to continue with law school.

"After I am done with school though, I would like to start an adaptive recreation program in Mississippi. It is great to have this opportunity."

Maine Handicapped Skiing established the Veterans/No Boundaries program in 2005. The program includes retreats in both the summer and winter for disabled men and women who have served our country.

"It is an easy way to say thank you to

the individuals that have kept our families safe and maintained our quality of life here in the United States, almost too easy, and so much fun," said volunteer Lynne Maxfield-Cole.

This year's program started on Thursday, Jan. 31, and ran through Monday, Feb. 4. Veterans had the opportunity to participate in alpine skiing, snowboarding, snowshoeing, Nordic skiing, and dog sledding.

Seventy-plus volunteers joined the veterans. Volunteer instructors guaranteed a successful experience on snow, great food and wonderful entertainment, said Maine Handicapped Skiing Executive Director Betsy Doyon.

"The outpouring of support from the

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## Newry goes coastal

By ALISON ALOISIO

Newry is occasionally described as a rich coastal community that happens to be located in the mountains.

It only seemed logical, thought resident Wendy Hanscom, that the town should have its own Coast Guard.

Or at least shirts proclaiming it.

"Most towns with as many high-value second homes as Newry are on the coast," said Hanscom.

About a year ago, she decided to come up with a Newry Coast Guard logo to print on T-shirts.

She asked a friend, Steve

Milligan a graphic designer, to put something together.

"I looked at the real Coast Guard logo, which is two crossed anchors and a shield in the middle," Hanscom said.

"I suggested the use of skis, maybe pine trees and a moose in the middle. Steve came up with the crossed skis and poles."

They resemble a captain's wheel, she thinks, preserving the link to the sea.

With the addition of 1805, the town's incorporation date, the design was complete.

At Christmas time, Hans-

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## A history of the Alder River ponds

By BLAINE MILLS, Vice President Greenwood Historical Society

Clinton and Raynor Littlefield charged 10 cents to swim at their beach when I was a boy. If you came by boat, it was free. The beach was a social gathering place for the local residents and campers. In the early 1960s, the Morey family took over the operation of the beach and soon turned the beach into a campground and outside swimmers were no longer welcome.

We know from the old photos dating back to the early 1900s that the sand bar on South Pond was used by boaters for swimming. The swimming hole at Round Pond was just off the Greenwood Road.

This small beach had been used by the local children since the 1930s. In 1953, John Tebbets built a house at this

location and the swimming hole was gone for good.

The last three swimming areas came later: Abbott's Anchorage, the beach on lower South Pond, and the town beach.

What is now Abbott's Anchorage was nearly all under water when I was a boy. Around 1950 Lee Abbott started dumping sand into the pond and over a period of several years he built up a beach from the water. By the mid-1950s, Abbott's was open to the public. If I recall it cost 25 cents to swim there when I was a boy.

There was a small beach just off the Greenwood Road near the Joe Cumming's place. This beach was not a good location. The swimmers were

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#### VALENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL:

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# Letters

## MELODY BONNEMA FUND

### To the Editor:

Melody Bonnema is still in very serious condition after her car accident. Garret and Leah have been at her side constantly over the last few weeks and Garret has been e-mailing daily a report on Melody's condition. I have a growing e-mail list of folks to whom I have been forwarding these e-mails and I would be happy to add more names ([pwright@megalink.net](mailto:pwright@megalink.net)).

We continue to hold Melody and her family in our prayers and love. We know there is a long road ahead for them and they will be in need of our continued support. A fund has been established at Northeast Bank.

This is one tangible way we can help in this difficult time. If you would like to contribute you can stop at the bank or send your checks to: Melody Bonnema Fund, c/o Northeast Bank, PO Box 850, Bethel ME 04217

Peggy Wight  
Newry

## W.E.S. FIFTH GRADE THANKS

### To the Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the surrounding communities for all the support they have given the Woodstock Elementary School Fifth Grade.

Our class has been working hard to raise money for an overnight trip to Boston as part of our science and social studies curriculum. Since October, we have been working on the organization of our Basket Bingo, which was held on Jan. 27. Everyone we asked to help us out has been extremely generous; the turnout for our Bingo was supportive and donations have been overwhelming. As a result, we have now raised enough money for our Boston trip.

It would be impossible to list everyone who has helped us over the past few months, but a special public thanks needs to be given to the dedicated parents and staff members of the Woodstock School who were the heart of it all. They spent hours upon hours putting together all the pieces to make the event work and our class is truly thankful for all their help. I would also like to thank all the previous parent volunteers who came through to support our Bingo in many ways. Many Woodstock and Greenwood residents, who no longer have students at our school, made donations and baked items to sell to raise money for our class.

Elizabeth Gallagher deserves special thanks this year for many reasons. For years she has been the unsung hero of our Basket Bingo. Being a Longaberger Basket consultant, Elizabeth has worked to get our fundraiser great deals on baskets, and she has donated her commission to the event. This year, acting as a parent in the class as well, Elizabeth was really able to put together an excellent collection of baskets and Longaberger merchandise. In addition, her personal donations this year were tremendous.

Finally, it is important for us to recognize the Jackson-Silver American Legion Post in Locke Mills for their generosity. The Legion made sure we had the appropriate facilities, a great Bingo caller, wonderful help, and all the small details to make the event run smoothly. The Legion really helps us get it all together.

It is wonderful to be part of such a dedicated and caring community. Thanks again to everyone who made our fundraising a success. We will look forward to seeing all of you again next year at our annual Basket Bingo in January. Thank you again for your support.

Karen Wilson and the Fifth Grade Class  
Woodstock Elementary School

## WATERFORD G.O.P. CAUCUS

### To the Editor:

The Waterford Republican Caucus will be held on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 10 a.m. at the Waterford Town Office, 366 Valley Road, Waterford.

It is the municipal party's biennial meeting to elect delegates to the county committee, state convention and ratify the membership and bylaws of the group. It is also the rank and file's opportunity to provide feedback on the party's nominee for president.

All registered Waterford Republicans are welcome to participate.

Others wishing to participate may register a half hour before the meeting as a Republican at the meeting if they are not already enrolled in another party.

Also invited are representatives of the Presidential campaigns, US Congressional candidates, state Rep. H. Sawin Miller and others.

The purpose of the caucus is to elect delegates and alternates to the state convention which will be held on Friday and Saturday, May 2 and 3, at the Augusta Civic Center, to elect members of the Oxford County Republican Committee, and to organize the municipal committee for the upcoming elections. All Republican candidates for office will be invited to address the caucus. New this year, the state party will be holding a Presidential Preference Survey.

Waterford Republican Town Committee's mission is to recruit and promote candidates for municipal, county and state offices. For more information call me at 583-6628.

David H. Marston  
Waterford Republican Town Caucus Chair

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## COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES

### To the Editor:

The Feb. 10 Democratic Party caucuses will take place for all 38 municipalities in Oxford County between the hours of 1 and 8 p.m. next Sunday. A complete list of Democratic caucuses throughout the state is available on the Maine Democratic Party website [www.mainedems.org](http://www.mainedems.org). County Chair Cathy Newell may be contacted at 875-2116 by anyone with questions about the process in individual towns. New voters and those who are unenrolled may register and enroll with town officials at caucus sites 30 minutes before the start time. Young people who will turn 18 before Nov. 4, 2008 are eligible to register and participate.

The complete list of municipalities, time, place and convenor includes: Albany, 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Allison Rosenblatt; Andover, 1 p.m., Town Hall, Pam Pace; Bethel 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Brad Clarke; Brownfield, 1 p.m., Town Office, Marilee Turner; Buckfield, 3 p.m., Municipal Building, Terry Hayes/Stacy Raymond; Byron, 1 p.m., Mt. Valley HS, Debi Briggs; Canton, 2 p.m., Canton Fire Station, Mary Dube; Denmark, 2 p.m., Denmark Library, Mari Hood; Dixfield, 1 p.m., Mt. Valley HS, Jennifer Plante; Fryeburg, 2 p.m., Legion Hall, Myra Bethel; Gilead, 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Kate Slattery; Greenwood, 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Rosemary McLean; Hanover, 1 p.m., Mt. Valley HS, Henrietta List; Hartford, 3 p.m., Town Hall, Arlene Nason/Anita Pottle; Hebron, 2 p.m., Town Hall, Daniel Eichorn; Hiram, 2:30 p.m., Hiram Town Office, Chris Orff/Jane Summer; Lovell, 3 p.m., Lovell Town Office, Toni Seger; Mexico, 1 p.m., Mt. Valley HS, Rich Plante; Milton, 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Scott Billings; Newry, 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Wendy Hanscom; Norway, 3 p.m., Town Office, Hilary Ware; Otisfield, 1 p.m., Town Office, Maureen Howard; Oxford, 2 p.m., Town Office, Chris Pottle; Paris, 1 p.m., Town Office, John Jenness; Peru, 5 p.m., Mt. Valley HS, Bill Hine; Porter, 6:30 p.m., Porter Town Hall, Doug Bowen; Roxbury, 1 p.m., Mt. Valley HS, Kathy Sutton; Rumford, 1 p.m., Mt. Valley HS, Jarrod Dumas; Stoneham, 4 p.m., Town Office, Ruth Crowell; Stow, 2 p.m., Fryeburg Legion, Jim Wilfong; Summer, 1 p.m., Summer Town Office, Don Berry; Sweden, 2 p.m., Town Office, Virginia Durr; Upton, 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Cathy Newell; Waterford, 4 p.m., Town Office, Roger Green; West Paris, 1 p.m., Town Office, David Walton; Woodstock, 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Nancy Willard/Mary Ellen Gartner; Lincoln Plt., 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Cathy Newell; Magalloway Plt., 5 p.m., Telstar HS, Cathy Newell.

In addition to the process of determining presidential preference and the allocation of delegate and alternate slots to the State Convention to be held May 30 and 31 in Augusta, the caucus meetings will feature an opportunity for attendees to meet county and legislative candidates and to support their candidacies by signing nominating petitions and contributing to Maine Clean Elections process. Representatives from the Clinton, Obama, Tom Allen and Mike Michaud campaigns will be in attendance at many of the caucuses, and local candidates will try and get to many in person. Convenors welcome help from others in setting up for the event, assisting with checking in participants, and in contacting Democrats prior to Feb. 10. Those willing to assist should contact their convenor. Democrats attending caucus meetings are asked to bring donations to be given to area food pantries or a check for fuel assistance to KeepMEWarm.

Cathy Newell  
County chair, Maine Democratic Party

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE ON LINE

### To the Editor:

In recent years there has been confusion between Christian Science and Scientology. In the Bethel area and in Norway/South Paris where the nearest Christian Science Church and Reading Room are located, I run into people who think they are the same thing — which they are absolutely not. Also, people just don't know much about Christian Science and may be seeking a spiritual way of dealing with daily problems.

I am excited to share a newly launched website where people can get accurate information about Christian Science, [www.christianscience.com](http://www.christianscience.com). At the heart of this new website is a collection of video clips in which people share their personal experiences in Christian Science. The public can hear firsthand accounts of people who are living Christian Science and how their prayers have healed them and others.

What does it mean to rely on Christian Science prayer for healing? Now people who rely on the Web for information have a place where they can hear about Christian Science healing directly from those who have experienced it. (However, I am always happy to talk with people right here in Bethel.)

[christianscience.com](http://christianscience.com) makes it easy for the public to get accurate information about Christian Science and activities of First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass. The church expects this will clear up some of the common misconceptions about Christian Science. The site will explain why Christian Scientists choose to rely on prayer for healing, Christian Science is not Scientology, and Christian Science is a Christian, Bible-based religion, not a cult.

I hope my community will check out this new website and feel free to ask me any questions. My cell phone is (207) 890-9944.

Julia Reuter  
Clerk, First Church of Christ, Scientist, Norway

## REMEMBERING DON TWITCHELL AND DORIS BROWN

### To the Editor:

The recent passing of former state Sen. Don Twitchell brings to mind his good work on behalf of the historical societies and museums of Maine in the early 1980s. In 1974, when I became the executive director of the Bethel Historical Society, I was distressed to learn that even though museums and historical societies were largely nonprofit, tax-exempt organizations, their tax-exempt status did not include relief from the Maine state sales tax for purchases. A little research into this situation revealed that Maine was the only New England state that had not removed this burden from these cultural agencies. In fact, Maine was only one of two states not to provide this exemption. So I spent the next few years working with our Oxford County legislators of both political parties to gain repeal. Our arguments included the fact that museums and historical societies play a central role in attracting tourists to Maine and that these organizations sell historical items thus assisting the state by generating sales tax revenue. Therefore, by encouraging their existence and growth, the state was gaining additional sources of sales tax revenue. Our arguments must have been convincing since session after session the exemption won approval only to have the legislation die on the table of the Appropriations Committee. In late 1982, following his election to the state Senate, I approached Don Twitchell to request that he sponsor still another bill to exempt the sales tax for museums and historical societies. With his quiet, low-key approach, Don worked tirelessly and effectively with other sympathetic legislators to advance this piece of legislation through both houses of the state Legislature. This bill also received the backing of then Governor Brennan. Don also worked closely with the Appropriations Committee. As a result of his efforts and those of others, the legislation passed and on Jan. 1, 1984, the exemption took effect. All historical societies and museums should be forever grateful to Don Twitchell for his significant legacy of support that benefits these entities to this day.

The Bethel Historical Society has lost one of its longest and strongest supporters in the recent death this week of Doris Brown. To provide some idea how long Doris was a member is to note that she was one of the last surviving examples of a rare group — that is having her 1966 membership file card in the distinctive handwriting of Eva M. Bean, the society's founder. During her years working in the then Bethel Savings Bank, she always asked me how the society was doing each time she waited on me. She was a friend of Faye Taylor, who also worked at that bank and was a charter member as well as the society's first treasurer. Every time I saw Doris after her retirement, she mentioned how much she enjoyed the society's quarterly, *The Courier*. When blindness overtook her, she was so grateful that we had readers place our publication on tape so that she could still keep up with it. For years, she paid the dues of her children and their spouses so that they would also be aware of the society's events and research activities. We will certainly miss her great enthusiasm for the organization and not forget her example of dedication any time soon.

Stan Howe  
Bethel

**CORRECTION: ONE-YEAR MED-CARE CONTRACT WOULD ALLOW FOR FURTHER RESEARCH**—An article in last week's Citizen about Andover's discussion regarding the renewal of the town's interlocal agreement with Med-Care Ambulance should have reported that Kevin Scott said that in order to be in a position to negotiate a one-year contract with the ambulance service, Andover would first need to vote down the 10-year renewal for the interlocal agreement. Scott said he favored negotiating a one-year contract so that the town would have time to study other options for service.

**FURTHER INFORMATION: DISCUSSION WAS ABOUT NON-APPEALS-BOARD MATTER**—Regarding last week's article on the Oxford Superior Court's decision in the Funky Red Barn appeal, and the ruling justice's comments on the actions of Appeal Board Chairman Harry Faulkner: Faulkner has asked that we provide our readers with some further information. We are happy to do so.

Concerning the Bethel selectmen's initial vote in 1996 not to reappoint Faulkner to a new term on the Appeals Board: Faulkner told us that vote was a result of his speaking out on the firing of former Bethel Town Clerk Merton Brown, a matter that some thought might eventually find its way to the Appeals Board. But before speaking out, Faulkner said, he had been told by the then chairman of the Board of Selectmen that the firing was not subject to Appeal Board review, and thus he was well within his rights as an individual citizen in making his feelings known. When two of the four selectmen who initially voted against him later learned he had consulted with the selectboard chairman and been told the firing was not an Appeals Board matter, Faulkner said, they switched their earlier votes, and he was reappointed.

Also, concerning his 2007 comments to the Appeals Board during the Funky Red Barn appeal, made after he had recused himself: Faulkner said his words were intended as a private conversation with an individual member, and he did not realize the board was still in session and a voice recorder was running. He said, however, that he too now regrets the language used in those comments.

**CORRECTION: LETTER WAS FROM 2002**—Due to a combination of three factors last week: the wonders of archival computer memory, a glitch in The Citizen's workflow, and a spasm of boneheaded obliviousness on the part of the editor, a letter Faulkner had written in 2002 was inadvertently published again in our "Letters" section. Faulkner graciously said that no harm had been done, and there was no need for the newspaper to make note of the error, but in the interest of correcting the record, we must.

— MRD

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Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson  
**10 years ago:** Nearly 50 vintage snow machines prowled the trails of Newry as part of a rally organized by Frank Lowell in cooperation with the Windy Valley Snowmobile Club.

Chip Seamans of Bryant Pond was named general manager of Sunday River Ski Resort.

Improvements, including a kitchen renovation and installation of a modern bathroom, were underway at the Newry Grange Hall.

Deaths: R.H. Waterhouse, Arthur G. Wakefield, Thomas E. Henderson, Sarah M. Grover.

**20 years ago:** Balloons took off from Sunday River Ski Resort for flights to Bethel as part of Winter Wonderland Week.

A late night fire destroyed the 130-year-old house on Main Street owned by Gene and Ginger Kelly, which housed the Bethel Chamber of Commerce, Ross Joly Realty, Bethel Cablevision, and Fray'n Shannon's Variety as well as two apartments.

Bear River Cabins owners, Tom and Elaine Bonica, opened The Den Restaurant in their store.

Births: Nicholas Stowell Wendell, Sean Patrick Caddigan, Aaron Bachelder, Jr.

**30 years ago:** A winter storm of blizzard proportions hit the Bethel area. Sunday River Skiway reported 30 inches of snow.

The Windy Valley Snowmobile Club joined eight other clubs for a Ride-a-thon to Chisholm Park, Rumford, to benefit Muscular Dystrophy.

Andover Wood Products had their annual banquet and dance, and gave out awards for 5, 10, and 15 years of service with the company.

**40 years ago:** Bethel Savings Bank was offering a rate of 4% on all savings accounts.

Miss Elaine Connor was crowned queen of the Bethel Winter Carnival. Her court included the Misses Brenda Saunders, Cheryl Stevens, Lenora Westleigh, and Dorothy Lovejoy.

A fire in the maintenance garage at Andover Wood Products caused an estimated \$10,000 damage.

Deaths: Walter B. Rice, Robert T. Smith, Mrs. Anna H. Raimage, Ormando B. Farwell.

**50 years ago:** H. Stanley Andrews became the new owner of Cole's Hardware Company in Bryant Pond.

The barn at the home of Walter Grover in West Bethel collapsed under the weight of snow. A boat being stored in the barn was destroyed.

Traffic had begun using the new bridge over Sunday River.

**Riverside**

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agreement with the owner. "By stepping in as conservation buyers, the Stiflers have given all residents and visitors in the area a most wonderful gift," he said.

"It's just so beautiful," said Stifler. "We thought, 'somebody is going to buy it to develop it.' We bought it to preserve it, to keep it in its current state."

Eventually, he said, the couple plan to give MLT a conservation easement for the property.

The next step, said Stifler, will be to provide better access.

"We want to upgrade the canoe access and the parking for fishing," he said.

The steepness of the site makes it difficult for some boaters to get into their craft, he said.

The site will be available for use by private individuals,

said Stifler.

Currently, he said, it is also used by recreation companies who guide tourists along the river.

"We think that's fine, as long as it's open to everyone," he said.

Stifler said he hopes Gilead residents "will support having it stay the way it is, and see it as a good resource."

The property will also remain open to snowmobilers, "as long as people respect it," he said.

A year ago, Gilead voters authorized town officials to negotiate with the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to buy town land on the other side of Bridge Street to create a boat launch there. But with the Stifler purchase and the plan to preserve it, the state is no longer pursuing that purchase.

**Briefly****Woodstock accepts grant**

**WOODSTOCK**—At a special Town Meeting Tuesday, a handful of citizens approved the acceptance of a \$43,607 grant for the Fire Department from the Dept. of Homeland Security Assistance to Firefighters Program. Also approved was a \$2,295 local appropriation as the town's share of the award. The funds will be used to purchase safety equipment for firefighters, including eight sets of turnout gear, six airpacks and other items.

**Newry meetings**

**NEWRY**—The Board of Selectmen will next meet on Feb. 11 and 19, at 4 p.m., at the Town Office. On Tuesday, Feb. 19, a public hearing will take place on the local option liquor referendum.

**Flying Moose Classic**

**BETHEL**—Point-to-point races starting at Gould Academy and finishing at the Bethel Inn over 20, 10, and 6 kilometer courses will take place on Sunday, Feb. 17. Hosted by the Bethel Outing Club, the Flying Moose classical technique citizens' cross-country ski race takes place on the well-groomed and challenging Gould Academy Pine Hill trail system and the Bethel Inn Nordic Center trails. A mass start will take place at 11 a.m. Ten and 20 kilometer skiers may enter either the timed or untimed "touring" class. Youth events include a short "lollipop" loop for the very young, and a 6 km non-timed course. Transport for drop bags to be taken to the finish will be available. Sign-in and race-day registration will take place from 9 to 10:30 a.m. at Gould Academy Field House on Church Street, Bethel. The event registration fee for children 14 and under is \$4 for entries received by Feb. 14, and \$5 day of race. For others, the full entry fee is \$25, with a \$10 discount for Bethel Outing Club members who register by February 14th. Registrations may be mailed to: Race Secretary, Bethel Outing Club, P.O. Box 637, Bethel, ME 04217, with checks payable to the Bethel Outing Club. The Bethel Outing Club promotes Nordic skiing as sport and recreation in the greater Bethel and western Maine area with particular emphasis on youth development Nordic ski programs and family-oriented outings. For further information about this year's event, contact Jim Reuter at 824-4099 or [jim@reuter.net](mailto:jim@reuter.net). For membership and other information about the Bethel Outing Club, visit [www.bethelouting.org](http://www.bethelouting.org) or contact Kirk Siegel, secretary, at 824-0717 or [kirks@megalink.net](mailto:kirks@megalink.net).

**Black Mt. seeks turnpike sign**

**AUGUSTA**—Rep. Sheryl Briggs, D-Mexico, has submitted a bill to put up a sign for Black Mountain Ski Area on the Maine Turnpike. The Legislature assigned the proposal to the Transportation Committee Thursday. Briggs submitted the after-deadline bill to place a sign on the Maine Turnpike in order to further publicize the area. Black Mountain of Maine is located in Rumford and offers a wide range of programs for skiers of all ages. The mountain also boasts trails for skiing of all skill levels. They offer Nordic and Alpine skiing, tubing and snowshoeing. "We have this great, affordable recreational area that a lot of people coming up to Maine don't know about," said Briggs. "If we can make it a little better known and a little more visible, it may increase traffic." Upon Senate approval of the committee assignment, the bill will be scheduled for a public hearing in the coming weeks.

**BPL reservations open Friday**

**AUGUSTA**—Campers were waiting at the door and at their computer keyboards when the Bureau of Parks & Lands opened its 2008 camping reservations system Friday morning. "Campers make up a significant portion of our total visitors," said Department of Conservation Commissioner Patrick K. McGowan. "We are constantly working to improve the experience, both in reservations and at the park campgrounds." "The first day of the season is always our busiest," said Will Harris BPL director, "but today surpassed anything we have ever seen." 2008 marks the second year of operation for the Bureau's real-time computerized reservation system. By 2 p.m. more than 2,020 reservation requests had been processed, 59 percent of those from Maine residents. "Last year, we processed 1,812 reservations in the first twenty-four hours," said Harris. "We know that getting the sites they want is important to our customers. We're thrilled that this system is working so well. At some of our parks, competition is fierce for preferred sites during certain weeks. While this may lead to frustration for some folks, we feel this system is the fairest way to handle reservations." Using the Internet, campers who are not able to reserve their top choice of sites can immediately review BPL's campsite inventory and reserve another. Campers may make reservations online at [www.CampWithMe.com](http://www.CampWithMe.com); call (in state) (800) 332-1501 (out-of-state) 207-624-9950; or mail reservations to: Bureau of Parks and Lands, ATTN: Reservations, 22 SHS, Augusta, ME 04333. Those with Web access are encouraged to use it, as Internet reservations will save campers time. Sebago Lake State Park continues to top the lists for reservations. Camping at Sebago Lake is an annual family/friend tradition for the majority of users. Recognizing that the Sebago campers average longer stays than those at other state park campgrounds, during the month of February, BPL will only accept reservations for four or more nights at Sebago. Beginning March 1 two-night reservations will be accepted. This policy will allow more campers who want four or more nights on the same campsite to make such a reservation.

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than two years.

"But if getting even this far was a hard slog, Selectman Dennis Doyon said, it was still worth the effort."

"At this point I think everybody is in agreement that we've hammered out an agreement that's good for all parties, and that's great," Doyon said.

"That's the way it should be, and if it took a little bit longer, then it took a little bit longer, but at least it's nothing we're going to go back on and say: 'Why didn't we do this?'"

SCOTT COLE

Bethel Town Manager

day's selectmen's meeting, wrote:

"Scott Cole, the Cheneys, the selectmen, Jeff Parsons and the Trails Committee, abutting landowners, and everyone else who supported or worked on this project deserve great kudos. Nothing has been signed yet, but it would appear that the hardest work is over."

Down the road, many other considerations regarding the new trail will be addressed, including how it might connect to other Mayville properties along its route, or to Route 2, or even to a possible future trail extension toward Sunday River Ski Resort.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, belief, taste and readability.

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**The Way I See It**

by Sharon Bouchard

Being preoccupied with the holidays just past I didn't have much to say about all the snowstorms of December. However, I was not very happy about them and don't remember ever having that much snow before Christmas.

I was even pretty quiet throughout January when more snow and cold and crappy weather happened all too frequently. My mood wasn't the greatest, but I suffered in silence.

Now we are barely into February and have already experienced snow, sleet, freezing rain, rain and more snow. I am silent no more! I hate it, I hate it, and I hate it! And, the worse part is, short of moving to a warm climate, there is not a darn thing I can do about it.

I'm not likely to move; I've been a Mainer all my life and it's where I plan to stay, but that doesn't mean I can't complain about Maine winters, especially this one.

I saw a bumper sticker once that said "If you can't stand winter in Maine, you don't deserve summer in Maine." Personally, I think that's a crock. It should be "If you can survive winter in Maine you definitely do deserve summer in Maine."

There are a couple of months to go before I can officially say I survived

this winter in Maine, but I suspect that in spite of my misery I will.

I try to cling to that thought as I shovel my walkway yet again. I try to think of blue skies, sunny days and balmy temperatures as I put a heating pad on my back to ease the aches and pains from all that shoveling. I try to think of cookouts and baseball games as I put ointment on my blistered palms for all that darn shoveling.

**What I'm really suffering from is Summer Deprivation Disorder ...**

I try to think about spring flowers and summer rainbows as I white-knuckle drive myself to work in the winter mess.

When I clean the snow off my van and it blows back in my face and down my neck I try to remind myself that I am not being pestered by black flies or mosquitoes.

I try to think about sunburns that I have suffered in summers past and remind myself that I'm not apt to get one while I'm trying to get the darn ice off of my darn windshield wipers.

My mantra for this win-

**Ponds**

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BOY SCOUTS at a B.S.A. camp that was operated on North Pond in the 1920s.

in the water or in the road. This beach was used primarily by local children or young adults.

After the town beach was established, this small beach was no longer used. In 1988, the town of Greenwood purchased the beach at the Cummings Brook Delta and it is still in use today.

The pond water levels had not been an issue since the Lee Abbott affair in the mid 1960s. Around 1996, the gate was opened at the dam in early April and left open until after Memorial Day.

That summer, our water table dropped down with the ponds; my father and I both lost our wells. I had to add onto my dock just to float my boat.

The following two years the water level was also drawn down, but after three years of being confronted by angry campers, Duane Gilbert stopped the practice of opening the gate for two months.

By this time the gate was leaking badly, and Gilbert did not have the funds or the interest to fix it.

Campers banded together and got permission from Gilbert to place a tarp over the leaky gate. For the next several years, the campers put a new tarp every spring over the gate. The three years when the gate was opened for

two months each year, the water levels were the lowest that I had seen in my lifetime. The several years that followed were better, but the levels were lower than normal.

Around 2000, Mr. Gilbert or the bank sold the mill property to Saunders Bros. from Westbrook, Maine. Saunders Bros. did not want the responsibility of the dam.

In 2001, the town of Greenwood took over the ownership and operation of the dam. In 2004, the dam was refaced and a new gate was installed. The town of Woodstock helped to fund the project.

In 2007, the owner of Littlefield's Beach, Mr. Park, asked the town to lower the water level. The residents and campers assumed this water level issue had been settled over 40 years ago with the Lee Abbott affair, but the town decided to drag us through it all over again with a public hearing in August 2007.

It was clear the night of the hearing that the majority of the shore owners still want the water level higher as in the old campers' agreement nearly a hundred years ago. The engineer who recently repaired the dam, Mr. Sysko, warned the attendees that the dam was not safe for any higher water levels. He also warned that this area could

receive a catastrophic flood every one hundred or every five hundred years.

There have been at least three dams at Locke's Mills dating back to 1819. The current dam was built in 1899. No dams have ever breached here. The current dam and dikes have sprung leaks from time to time, but have been quickly repaired.

The village survived the 1936 flood and the dam was not in good repair as it is today. In 1936, both the Alder River Dam and Putt Brook Dam held. There was so much water going over the Putt Brook Dam that it washed out the railroad culvert and roadbed on the lower end of Putt Brook.

The Lakes Association has agreed to form a dam committee to work with the town in setting a water-level policy.

The three ponds are accessible via five boat ramps. Two dirt ramps are public. One is located just off Route 26 on North Pond and the other is located just off the Greenwood Road near the town beach. Both could be dangerous because they are too close to ongoing traffic. Littlefield's Beach and Abbott's Anchorage both have a private dirt ramp. The only paved ramp is a poor one maintained by the town. It is located on Alder River near

the causeway.

When the state built the causeway in the early 1980s, they filled in the Mt. Abram Fish and Game Club's boat ramp. The club confronted the state about this matter. The state had not budgeted for a ramp and was not happy about having to replace it. I think this may be part of the reason why the current ramp is too steep, too short, and has no dock.

Many years ago, George Turrell operated a marina on Alder River where he sold boats and Evinrude Outboards. I have been told that George had a small ramp at his marina although no trace of it exists today.

I hope this rambling history of the Alder River Ponds has been of some interest to our local readers and campers. Maybe it will rekindle some fond memories of our older readers.

For more information, visit the Greenwood Historical Society on Main Street, Locke's Mills.

The society has a large photo collection including many of the ponds. The society is open to the public every Saturday in July and August, 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The monthly meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month at 7 p.m.

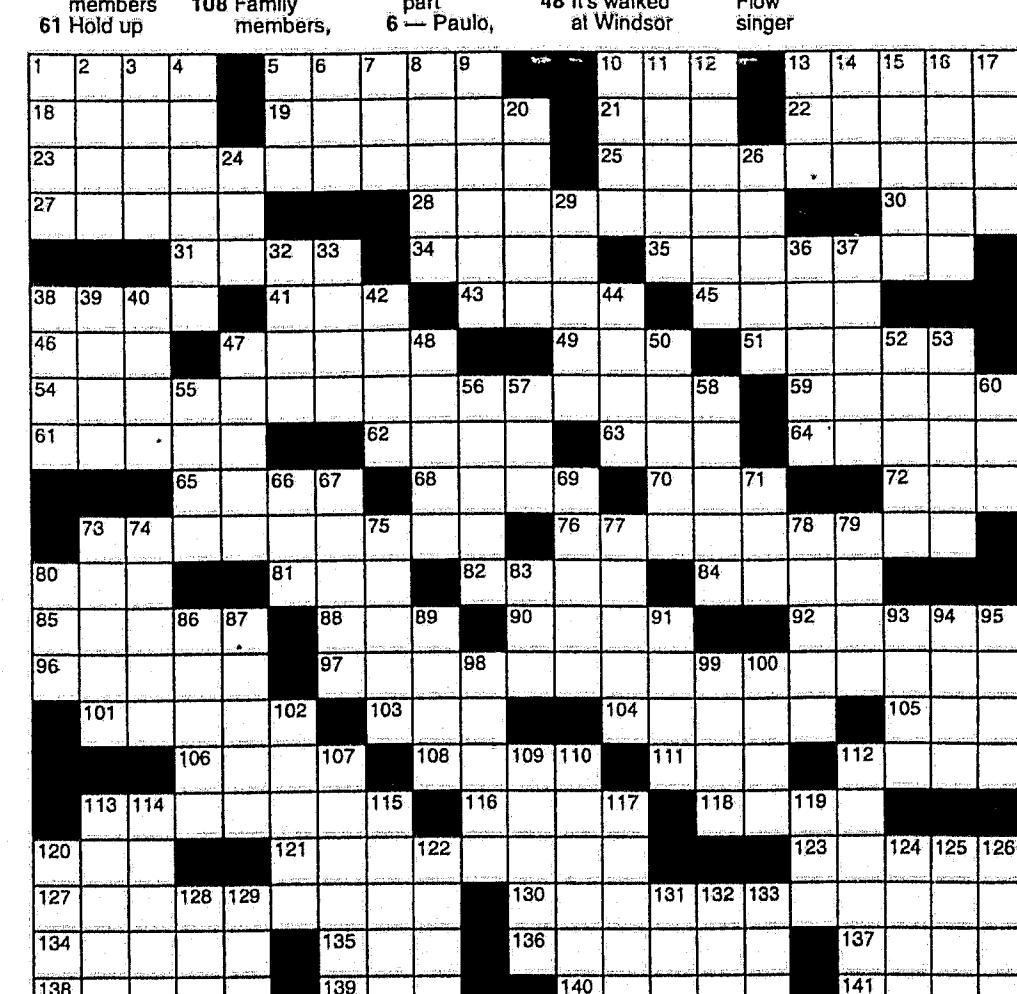
**Correction:**  
Sentences omitted

In The Citizen's Jan. 24 installment of Blaine Mills' account of the history of the Alder River Ponds the two sentences below beginning with "In 1863," were inadvertently omitted. The paragraph in question should have read as follows:

"In 1857, Mr. Locke sold his holdings to Moses Houghton and moved to West Paris. The Russell Bros. continued to lease the factory building from Mr. Houghton until around 1860 when they moved their operation downstream to Walker's Mills. In 1863, Mr. Houghton sold out to J.R. Bassett. Mr. Bassett had big plans for Locke's Mills. He improved the waterpower (higher dam) and planned to manufacture excelsior. The excelsior machinery proved worthless and the business failed."

**Super Crossword****'Whirled Tour'**

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**Vets**

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community, local businesses and individuals, was remarkable," Doyon said.

Bath Iron Works and the Marjorie Harris Reynolds Foundation were major sponsors of the event.

For additional information about the Veterans/No Boundaries program or other programs MHS offers, contact Maine Handicapped Skiing at (800) 639-7770 or [www.skimhs.org](http://www.skimhs.org).

Marine veteran Aaron Rice and wife Kelly, with Sunday River instructors Richard Hovey and Katie Walter.

**Newry**

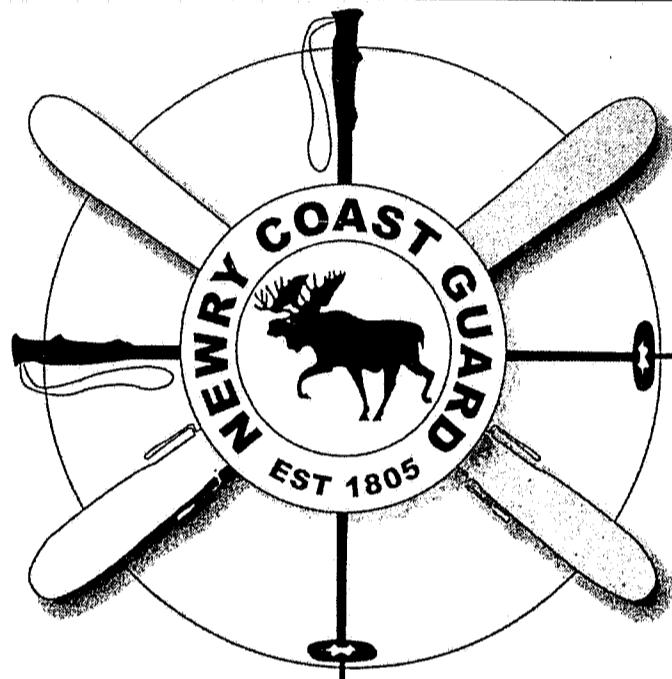
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com and some town employees ordered a few logoed items as Christmas presents. She and her daughter, Kelsie, got sweatshirts.

Kelsie wore hers to the Matterhorn, where some people from Outward Bound saw it. They ordered hoodies for their staff, said Hanscom.

"You may have to be from Newry to appreciate it," she said.

**GUARDING THE BEAR AND SUNDAY RIVERS**  
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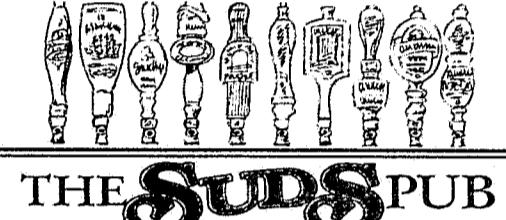
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**From the Bethel Police Log:**

Monday, Feb. 4

At 12:08 a.m. Officer Jeff Campbell responded to Evergreen Road to assist Bethel Rescue on a call.

At 3:49 p.m. Officer George Gould responded to Route 26 for a report of a pickup truck driving erratically. He located it on the side of the road near Telstar High School. The driver appeared to be unconscious, and the officer noticed a heavy odor of alcohol. Chief Al Carr then arrived and administered field sobriety tests. Albert J. Abbott, 37, of Canaan was arrested for OUI and for habitual offender.

At 10:05 p.m. Officer George Gould responded to Railroad Street for a subject unconscious in a parking lot. She appeared to be suffering from altered levels of consciousness, and said she had had a similar episode earlier in the day. Bethel Rescue responded.

Saturday, Feb. 2

At 7:14 p.m. Officer George Gould responded to the West Bethel Road for a report of a theft of a laptop computer.

Friday, Feb. 1

At 12:26 a.m. Officer Jeff Campbell responded to the Songo Pond Road to assist state police with a domestic incident.

Thursday, Jan. 31

At 8:07 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore stopped a vehicle on the Mayville Road and arrested Brian J. Freeman, 28, of Rumford for OUI.

Wednesday, Jan. 30

At 7:22 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to Railroad Street for a report of a man on a bicycle who needed a place to stay for the night. He had been traveling across the country on his bicycle. Accommodations were found.

**January Tally of BPD Activity**

Total calls for service (assaults, domestic incidents, animal complaints, etc.): 109

Arrests: 19

Warnings: 27

Citations (speeding tickets and other moving violations): 48

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Vehicle crashes: 9

Permits: 4

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**Oxford County Sheriff's Dept.:**

Sunday, Feb. 3

At 8:11 p.m. Deputy George Cayer was requested to respond to the Sunday River road. The complainant said that as she was getting ready to get in her vehicle to go home, she found a large male subject whom she did not know. The deputy contacted the complainant, who said that private security had taken the subject, who was intoxicated, from the vehicle. She was then able to head home.

Saturday, Feb. 2

At 7:40 p.m. Deputy George Cayer responded to Main Street in Andover for a trespassing complaint.

At 10:32 p.m. Deputy George Cayer responded to the Monkey Brook Road in Newry for a noise complaint.

Friday, Feb. 1

At 9:20 p.m. Deputy Mike Halacy responded to the Gilead Road in Gilead for a report of a burglary. It appeared some household items and one weapon had been stolen.

**Bethel****Mayville, Bethel and Around Town**

By Donald G. Bennett

This Week's News: Bethel Republicans caucused Saturday where among other activities they held a presidential preference survey as part of the Republican statewide survey. Bethel's innkeepers and restaurateurs were ready for Sunday night's Super Bowl game, but their customers were probably not ready for the outcome. The Bethel selectmen have agreed to property exchanges in Mayville that will set favorable conditions for recreation and economic improvements in Mayville's hospitality belt. Melody Bonnema is hospitalized in very critical condition following an automobile accident in Pennsylvania. Tom White has completed step one of a new sculpture destined for a memorial park in the west. The snow woman rests on Lincoln Street.

**Superbowl Sunday — The Shock**

An hour and a quarter before game time Sunday, Kathy and I had checked on three of Bethel's virtual football fields created for the fans of the Big

Game. Everything was ready for the long-awaited evening when the Patriots were sure to win. The Funky Red Barn, The Bethel Inn and Rooster's Roadhouse were all set for the kickoff. Staffs were calm and prepared. Rooster's and Bethel Inn had large-screen projection TVs. At Bethel Inn, a group had reserved Millbrook Terrace where the big screen was set up. A half dozen TVs in the tavern broadcast to those not in front of the big screen. Rooster's had their game setup in the upstairs dining room, again with a large-screen projection TV. Funky's expected their regulars to be on hand for the fun. Food and snacks were all ready. At the Funky Red Barn, Barry had served one good-sized crowd on Friday night with a special dinner for Maine Handicapped Skiers. So Bethel was prepared for the game, but the watchers were undoubtedly unprepared for the final score.

**Bethel Republican Caucus**

Thirty-one attended the Republican Caucus at the Bethel Town Office on Saturday, Feb. 2. Twenty-nine voted in a presidential preference survey. Results of the survey were: Romney 14; McCain 9; Huckabee 1; Paul 1; Undecided 4.

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The caucus agenda for the meeting was one distributed to town committees by the Maine Republican Party. Purpose of the caucus was to reconstitute a municipal committee, elect delegates to the Maine State Republican Convention scheduled May 2 and 3, elect county and town committee members and conduct other business that may come before the caucus. Karen Brown Mohr was elected chair and Stan Howe elected secretary of the caucus.

Nine delegates and two alternates were elected for the state convention. They are: Jarrod Crockett, chair, Harry Faulkner, Becky Kendall, Betty Ann Hastings, Arlan Jodrey, Scott Cole, Karen Brown Mohr, Dotty Bartlett and Stan Howe. Ellie Jodrey and Paige Pittman will be alternates.

Petitions for the following candidates were available for signatures: Jarrod Crockett for Representative to the Legislature; Susan Collins for U.S. Senator; Steven Merrill for County Commissioner; Tom Windsor for Register of Probate; Dana Hanley for Judge of Probate.

Arlan Jodrey was elected chair of the Bethel Town Committee and Sarah Tucker, vice chair.

**Selectmen's meeting on Jan. 28**

Fifteen members of Bethel's public attended the selectmen's meeting on Jan. 28 where snow removal and property exchanges were to be considered. Fred Nolte of the Chapman Inn spoke of the impact early morning noise would have on his inn guests. Some discussion followed and the snow-clearing schedule was established as start after midnight Monday through Friday but on Saturday and Sunday start no earlier than 5 a.m.

Swapping town-owned property in Mayville with the Cheneys was a proposal that has had a life of more than 18 months. The town owned a parcel that formerly belonged to the Godwicks. The Cheneys owned a parcel in the rear of the Thralls, the Whites, the Timberlakes and the Fredericks. An exchange of property would allow to put in motion plans for pedestrian and snowmobile trails in an area that would enhance the area for local and out-of-town visitors plus benefit the innkeepers along Route 2.

It seemed for a few minutes that discussion followed a déjà vu all over again course. But the session ended with

the board voting to exchange deeds and to turn the trail planning over to the Bethel Trails Committee. There will most likely be some follow-up with two party agreements and the immediate job is to agree on snowmobile routes through this area for the rest of this winter. In the end, it is expected that Bethel's walkers can start at Davis Park and walk to Twitchell Brook behind the Good Food Store. All property owners involved in the plan were present as well as Kirk Siegel who came as a legal advisor and trails committee representative.

Scott Davis who is the Sudbury Inn's new owner, attended the meeting to be present while licenses for his business were open for public comment, of which there were none, and to get a feel for how these meetings went.

**Melody Bonnema**

Melody's wide circle of friends in Bethel have organized an e-mail network to keep up with developments in her fight for recovery. Garret is sending reports from her hospital to contacts here who in turn are very helpfully forwarding them to the community. Peggy Wight and others arrived at the idea of a Love Bowl service for Melody at the Congregational Church last Sunday. According to Garret's messages as of Saturday, she is not regressing but her condition is still very critical.

**Mayville News**

Tom White has finished the first small (about 40 inches high) statue of an American soldier in Vietnam for a memorial planned by Big Piney, Wyo., residents. The final stage will be a bronze statue eight feet high. Tom will have his original work scanned by a computer that works like you were having an MRI turn you into virtual slices. The slices are enlarged to the right size to make an eight-foot character. The virtual "slices" go from a computer to a special saw that turns your digital slices into plywood slices. These plywood slices are reassembled into an eight-foot statue of wood and sent back to Tom's studio.

Tom re-sculpts details like veins in the man's arm and wrinkles in his clothes in clay which covers the whole body. Then the casting people will take over and turn the soldier into a bronze statue similar to last year's Korean War soldier.

**Snow women news**

Not much happened this week after three snow nozzles were set up at the snow wom-

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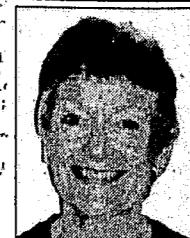
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en's base site. After two days of snowmaking, the weather change has called a halt to more manmade snow. Friday's storm left from two to five inches around town. If Plan B is called for, one suggestion heard on the street is to create a snow-based Mt. Rushmore sculpture memorial.

If you have news for the Bethel column please e-mail it to Donald@thebetheljournals.info or donaldb@roadrunner.com or call 824-2094 or even mail it to PO Box 763 in Bethel.

### West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

Five inches of "winter mix" accumulated in our yard on

Friday, with the result that we had some heavy, crusted stuff to remove. I much prefer the lighter, fluffier snow, but that would require colder temperatures than we've been having. Looks as if this week will have brought more warm temperatures and liquid precipitation, somewhat messing up the skiing. Just when I was getting into a good rhythm of skiing two or three days a week.

The first batch of logging in the National Forest's timber sale has been completed, with the last logging truck departing last week. Reggie Gilbert told me, however, that a second group will be in shortly, and logging will continue for the rest of the winter. They are doing a good job, but it does cut into my morning walks down that way. One has to be on constant alert for those big trucks and get out of the way fast. So more often than not, Jake and I walk the other way, where we have to put up with a lot of auto traffic. Such is life.

On Sunday we spotted a flock of pine siskins at the feeders. Mike says they've been here earlier, but I must have missed them. The turkeys come and go, sometimes absenting themselves for a day or two, but always returning. I'm hearing more bird sounds

**PUBLIC HEARING**  
Pursuant to Title 28 M.R.S.A. 252 — a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on February 11, 2008 at the Bethel Town Office to consider a Liquor License renewal from L'Auberge Country Inn & Bistro located on L'Auberge Lane. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office or email at info@bethelmane.org. Christen Mason, Town Clerk

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in the woods, a sure sign that we have turned the corner on winter. That, in spite of a sunny Groundhog Day, when the local groundhog surely saw his shadow.

An e-mail from David and Deborah Doyle of Bethel announced the Jan. 2 opening of Ingleside Classical Childcare Center in the building which formerly housed the Rebel Restaurant. The Ingleside Preschool program uses a Waldorf-inspired Classical curriculum for 3-5 year-olds. The Doyle express sincere thanks for the support given them by Michael and Nina Wheeler, and David and Fran Head of Maine Street Realty, without which they could not have accomplished their project.

They also thank Deb Webster of The Bear River Trading Post, who is their educational consultant and helped design their program. In addition Gloria Lewis and Lauretta Varo were both friends and space designers prior to the opening, helping also in numerous small ways.

The Doyle went on to say, "We are encouraged by the families who have joined in our efforts by enrolling their children in our program. Our preschool and our learning childcare center (infants and up) are already growing ... Our family is delighted to be a part of the West Bethel community ... Families in the Greater Bethel area are welcome to inquire about year-round childcare and preschool by calling 824-2551. We also hope to become a part of the community in many ways including using our beautiful and big parking lot for community events! Call us with ideas!"

Gail Martin wrote to remind me that her family will be up to their Flat Road camp during February vacation week. They will be having a sliding party to celebrate some family birthdays. Let's hope the rain doesn't wash out all this beautiful snow before then.

Linda Westleigh filled me in on great-granddaughter Maddie's progress. Maddie has been on and off the respirator, but she is still gaining and proving herself to be one feisty little girl. Mom Annie Pivin Costello has moved into



**NEW POSTMASTER IN NEWRY**—Angela Morin was installed last week as the new postmaster in Newry, succeeding Crystal Lake. Morin began her postal career 10 years ago as a city carrier in South Paris and Norway. She later served as a clerk in the Bethel, Greenwood, Bryant Pond, Norway, Dixfield South Paris and West Paris post offices. In Greenwood and West Paris she also served as officer in charge. As Newry postmaster, she is responsible for handling the mail for 109 post office box holders and 208 rural deliveries, and overseeing one other employee. Pictured here following the installation are (from left): Leslie Aron (outgoing postmaster relief), Crystal Lake, Morin and Christy Presichilli (incoming postmaster relief).

the Ronald McDonald House, easy walking distance from the hospital. Linda thanks you for your prayers, and hopes they will continue, for they are much appreciated.

Last Wednesday, Jan. 30, marked the passing of Doris Brown, 98, at her home in West Bethel. Doris was a member of the West Bethel Union Church and its Chapel Aid, the Bethel Historical Society, and Oxford County Senior Citizens. She will certainly be missed in this community. Our sincere condolences go out to her three daughters and six grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, friends and neighbors.

Mike and I toolled over to Farmington on Sunday afternoon to attend a concert by the Mount Blue Voices,

Stancioff. Refreshments were typical game-watching "junk food."

Get in touch with news of beasts, birthdays, babies, bachelors: dhoeh@megalink.net; 836-3011.

### Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

On Saturday, Feb. 9, the Windy Valleys Snowmobile

Club is having an oyster stew and spaghetti supper with coleslaw, rolls and desserts.

The place is the Bear River Grange Hall. The time will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Costs for the meal are \$7 for adults and children under 12 are free. The time is right for family dining and socializing with lots of friends and relatives. Don't miss this once-a-year happening.

Preceding the WVSC supper on Saturday will be a snowmobile ride starting at 9:30 in the morning. Riders will leave from the Bear River Grange Hall.

Turkey tracks are many in my yard. Tuesday of this week one flew right up on the deck about noontime. There were about eight of them in all and

they headed into the woods toward Don and Sylvia Gray's area. They were back again on Friday evening heading in the same direction and again Saturday morning returning from the Gray's. This time there were a dozen of them. They headed down the drive, but I'm not sure if the icy conditions from the rain made them turn and then head into the woods toward Branch Brook.

This week at the BRP, the offerings are a pulled pork sandwich, which they plan to have each Wednesday, "Dump day" at the Recycling Center. Along with the sandwich offering there will be homemade baked beans, hot dogs and lots of other munchies including hot soup.

Karlene Bachelder and Gilberte Seeley enjoyed dining at the Cinnamon Stick Café this past Sunday.

### Andover



by Melinda Averill

Well the Super Bowl has come and gone, (with a bit

of disappointment for us New England fans). Now it's time to start your engines (race season, NASCAR that is). Daytona 500 is in just a couple of weeks — Feb. 17 to be exact.

A special belated Happy Birthday to Andrew Harrington, who turned 21 on Jan. 31.

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be held on Saturday, Feb. 23, from 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. There is a rain date of Sunday, the 24th. There is a \$5 entrance fee. Prizes will be awarded for the following: largest trout-\$50; largest perch-\$20; pickerel, first-\$60, second-\$40 and third-\$20; bass, first-\$60, second-\$40 and third-\$20. Prizes will be awarded starting at 3 p.m. The Lions Club will be selling food and hot drinks all day.

Congratulations to former Andover residents Danny and Kristal Irish, on the birth of their son, Elden, on Jan. 5. He was the first baby born in the New Year at Rumford Hospital. Elden joins two sisters, Madison, age 4, and Mackenzie, age 9. Grandparents are Brenda and Leo Irish of Andover, Janet Bowman of Andover and Peter and Bella Pellegrini of Florida.

There is an exercise program being held at the Town Hall on Wednesday mornings. It goes from 9 to 10 a.m. and then a social hour until 11 a.m. Time to get out and forget about the winter blahs! Any questions contact Pam Pace.

There is a public supper (turkey and all the fixings) this Saturday, Feb. 9, at the U.C.C., green church in Mexico. Starting time is 5 p.m. Cost is \$7, under 12 years is \$3.

Thursday evening (tonight)

is a free tubing and skate night for SAD44 residents at Sunday River. It takes place at White Cap Lodge area.

Happy Birthday wishes this week go out to Ashley Hall on Saturday, the 9th.

More exciting news! Mark your calendar for Feb. 20, because Akers Ski is hosting a Full Moon Ski at 6:30 p.m. Get your cross-country skis out, if you haven't already, to join in the fun. If you haven't been out in a while, this gives you some time to practice a bit first.

### East Andover



by  
Joan  
Stinson-Carney

I want to wish Andrew Farrington a belated Happy 21st Birthday. It's not every day that you turn 21, and his family went up to Orono to help him celebrate. It was a good day for me also, because I got to work at the library. Thanks, Janet.

I am so pleased with the turnout for our first exercise class. In spite of the bad weather, we had 14 ladies attend. The class is held every Wednesday morning at 9 a.m. at the Town Hall. We had a great time, and

I found muscles that I never knew I had, and boy did they need exercising. Hope to see you there.

We want to thank Ruby Kulpa for donating the TV and Stacy Stewart for the loan of her DVD player.

On Wednesday, Feb. 13, the students of the Andover Elementary School will be holding a Jump Rope for Heart event to raise funds for the American Heart Association. Please give a donation to help the kids with their good work.

I am writing this on Saturday, Feb. 2, Ground Hog Day. I'll bet there wasn't one ground hog that found his way through our latest snow storm. I am so sick of the white stuff, and it knows how to get its revenge. Every time I shovel the walk, get it sanded, and go in the house the snow then falls off the roof and I have to go out and do it all over again. Oh well, that's the price you pay for living in Maine.

It took Joanne Palmer about three hours to get home from Bethel last night the roads were so bad. I'm grateful that I didn't have to go anywhere, driving in snow and ice scares me to death.

The recipe for the week is Tutti-Frutti Mousse. You will need 1 quart of vanilla ice cream, 1 cup of maraschino cherries, and 1 cup chopped pecans. Let the ice cream soften. Add the other ingredients and mix well. Spoon into a loaf shape mold. Freeze for at least one hour. Remove from the mold by loosening the edges

with a knife and running hot water over the bottom. Place on a plate and return to the freezer. Take out 5 minutes before serving. Makes 8 servings. Hot fudge sauce poured over it sounds good to me.

The East Andover Community Club will hold its February meeting on the 11th at the Calvary Church. Valentine's Day will be celebrated.

There is a Bible Study meeting every Monday morning at Mary Bailey's. New members are welcome.

The book club meets on the first Monday of every month at 7 p.m. at the library; hope to see you there. It's a lot of fun and a relaxing way to spend an evening.

What is black and white and red all over? An embarrassed nun. See ya.

fice or contact a selectman or Jim Reeter.

The Stateline Snowmobile Club met Saturday night with 11 of its 42 members — they're inching toward their goal of 50 members. The super raffle will be drawn on Feb. 10. Members discussed a location and time to hold the ride-in cookout. Stacey Otis has undertaken the job of updating the club's website to include trail maps, the newsletter, membership applications, trail reports and changes, and pictures riders have taken while enjoying the trails. If you have photos to share, e-mail them to Stacey at: s.arbeiter@verizon.net.

Coyotes crossed the trail between the time Joe and Bob went in with the groomer and the time they returned. A portion of the trail is closed on Route 26 because the logging operation there has its landing smack in the middle of the trail. Harold is working with the landowner to re-route the trail. In the meantime, riders are devising their own detour.

Ever since the Upton church was built in 1843, the work to furnish it and upkeep it has been done by volunteers, giving their time, energy and pennies. In the 1970s, Avery Angevine guided year-round residents, part-time residents, and other folks in a major overhaul which included a foundation, straightening the outside so that the doors would close once again and erecting the mill stones on the patio. The work, once again, was accomplished by donations, the church's building fund, a loan and the time and dedication of a lot of volunteers. Although the volunteers had a variety of religions and political beliefs, they came together and

worked for a common goal. That's uplifting, yet it makes it even harder to understand the slipshod behavior of thieves who stole light fixtures, furniture, and other items from the church. One can only surmise the reasons the thieves had for such blatantly repulsive, vile, avaricious actions.

It'd be a miracle if they developed a conscience and an awareness of the effect their thievery has had on so many people and returned the items as stealthily as they took them. That's a heartwarming, though probably illusory, thought for the day.

### Gilead



by  
Lin Chapman

The weather has been changing quite a lot

few days. Last Friday, SAD44 was dismissed at noon and that was a good call, since the bad weather had arrived by the time the buses would have been bringing home the children. There were a lot of things that got cancelled and one was the meeting for the Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association that we had planned on attending. The next meeting will be on March 7 at OHHS in South Paris.

Steve and Lise McLain received a call this past Sunday from their son, Major Stephen McLain, III. Stephen sends e-mails quite often, but likes to call from Iraq every chance he can.

There is going to be a birthday party for Raymond Chapman at the Legion Hall in Bethel on Saturday, Feb. 9. Friends and relatives can stop by between 1 and 4 p.m. to wish Raymond a Happy 80th Birthday.

#### Town Office

There are a few reminders for meetings coming up this month. The Selectmen will be

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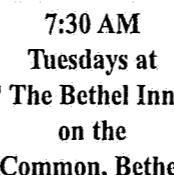
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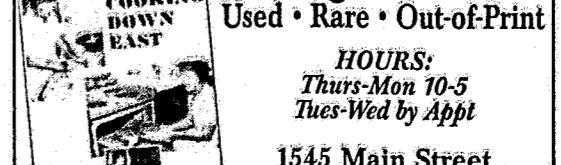
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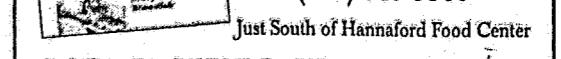
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meeting at the Town Office on Feb. 13 at 7 p.m. The Building Committee will meet at the Town Office on Monday, Feb. 11 at 6 p.m.

### Gilead Historical Society

The GHS now has a blog page [www.gileadhistoricalsociety.blogspot.com](http://www.gileadhistoricalsociety.blogspot.com). The page is intended to get the GHS info out there on the Internet; it is linked to the Bethel Historical Society's Web page. There is a brief history of how the GHS started, items for sale and a notice of the upcoming Friends and Family Day in June. This site can work in conjunction with the US Genweb Project site when it gets up and running. That site will contain much more information on the town of Gilead both past and present.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail [chapmal@hotmail.com](mailto:chapmal@hotmail.com).

### Hanover

by Clem Worcester

The Hanover Republican Caucus was Saturday, Feb. 2, at the home of Norm and Barbara Ferguson. Those attending selected delegates to the State Republican Convention later this year.

The Hanover Democratic Caucus will be next Sunday, Feb. 10, at 1 p.m. at Mountain Valley High School in Rumford. They will choose a Democratic nominee for president, elect state Democratic Convention delegates and select local Democratic Party leaders.

Unenrolled or unregistered voters including students that will reach the age of 18 by November 2008 can register beginning at 12:30 p.m. the day of the caucus. Anyone seeking more information about the Hanover Democratic Caucus should contact Henrietta List at 369-9604.

Christine Lego of Hanover and Joshua Lovell of Norway have a new baby girl born at Stephens Memorial Hospital on Jan. 16. The baby has been named Taejyah Vadyn Lego. Grandparents include Tonda Blossom and Randolph Lego of Hanover.

There is a new baby at Rumford Point. Adam and Stephanie Gammon have a daughter, Mariya Joanne Gammon, born Jan. 16 at Rumford Hospital. Mariya joins siblings Tanna Dawn and Adam Jerry.

A vicious winter storm attacked the area last Friday leaving about five inches of snow, sleet and freezing rain. It was a sloppy mess to clean up and more than one plow truck got stuck more than once.

We have heard reports of lots of robins along the Coastal Route 1 area where there is little or no snow.

Craig Turner, Donna Clem, Worcester, Freeman Farrington and Danny and Janice Bennett were among those in the local area who attended the Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge Executive Council meeting in Brunswick last Sunday.

### Greenwood City



by Wayne Hakala

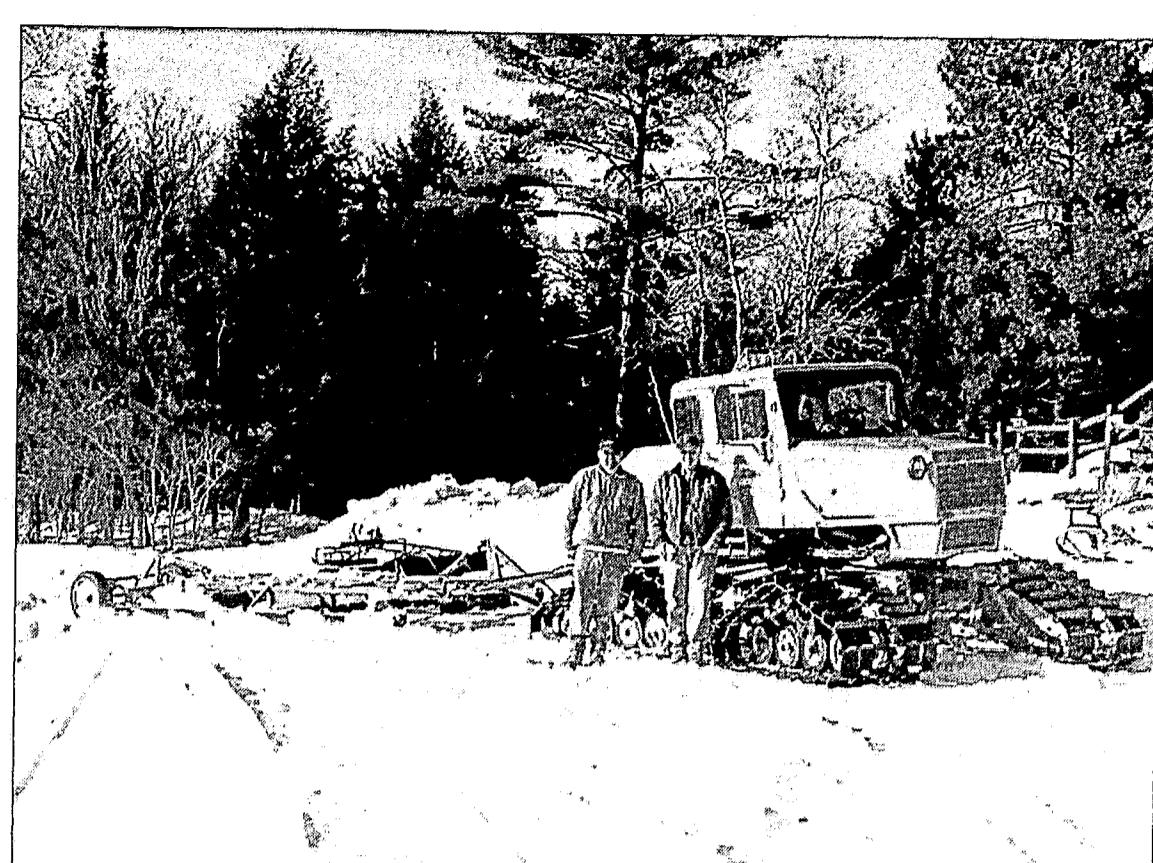
I guess it wasn't meant to be. The Pat's did one heck of a job during the regular season and we thought they could do it all. But they just did not come out there to play!

Saturday afternoon, there was a very good turnout for the Woodstock, Greenwood, and Milton Republican Caucus. All were pleased with the turnout and refreshing to hear new voices and ideas. Greenwood welcomed Kyle Kuvaja as a new registered voter.

After the caucus I just had to stop in at the Legion to see how the banquet for the Veterans/No Boundaries was progressing. A great crew was there helping out with all the details to make it a great meal for the Veterans and volunteers that run the program. As soon as I walked through the kitchen door I just knew I was in deep trouble with Vera. She gave me what for not being around and she has missed the hugs. We had a big hug and all was forgiven.

Thursday we went to Berlin for lunch. I don't think we had been to lunch in a long time. Guess the schedule and storms haven't helped. But we did enjoy a great lunch at the Northland. Only one disappointment, "No Fresh Strawberry Pie." What a bummer!

Friday after I had my ears lowered at Ed's, I went on to Oxford to visit a minute with the Patrys. Those are the good people of Dave's Repair. As usual all were busy and trying to catch up with work during the mild spell. Dave tells me they have sold well over



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### Mason



by Richard Grover

Mona and I attended the funeral service for Doris Brown at the West Bethel

Union Church last Saturday.

I have always thought of Doris as a dear friend, but I was surprised by the near unanimous tributes to this remarkable lady. She had the unique ability to make everyone feel special. For example, I don't think there was a Christmas or my birthday when I didn't receive a card from Doris over the past 49 years. Then I saw during the service that everyone who spoke had similar experiences that made them all feel special.

On Saturday evening, we went to the Locke Mills American Legion Post 68 to help serve dinner to the "Veterans/No Boundaries" participants in the Maine Handicapped Skiing tribute to these heroes with disabilities. This was a thoroughly enjoyable experience which gave us all a "warm, fuzzy feeling" knowing we were doing something nice for these people who have given so much to their country.

On Sunday we also had the

privilege to join a group celebrating Elmer Waterhouse's 100th birthday at Ledgeview Nursing Home, West Paris. This remarkable man has an equally remarkable great-grandson, Will Estrada, who is serving with the U.S. Army in Iraq. Will sent an American flag that had flown over his unit in Iraq on Christmas Day, 2007, along with certificate of authenticity, describing Will's unit and its mission there where the flag was flown. I was lucky to be asked to present these items to Elmer with other members of our Legion post. Our presenters were Richard Littlefield, Korean War Veteran, along with Bob McCartney, Norm Clanton and myself, veterans of the Vietnam War. This celebration, described in Monday's Lewiston Sun newspaper, included five generations of Elmer Waterhouse's family.

I read recently in the Lewiston Sun that barred owls are suffering because of the deep snow in Maine this winter; many of the owls have starved to death because their favorite foods, rodents and other small animals, are hard to find in the deep snow. I was glad to see one of these proud birds perched on the limb of a maple tree next to the road near Hutchinson Brook one day last week; the owl was there when I went to the woods a lunch time, and again (or still when I returned home just before dark). He might have been watching for one of the squirrels that raid Rosemary Stack house's birdfeeders across the road from the owl's perch.

### West Paris

by Joyce Lamb  
Lots of snow has fallen.  
Frank Perham plowed.  
Thawing some during the days causes puddles and then icy spots which I have sanded several times. One has to be careful after dark for the sand spots are ice patches after the sun goes down. The back walk never gets sun and now is frozen solid at one foot deep making it up hill and down.

At the West Paris Universalist Church the Rev. Richard Beal's sermon topic is "The Arts and Cupcakes and Flowers and Strawberry Milk." The service is at 9 a.m. followed by a coffee hour. Jim Burke is organist. All are welcome.

Cabin Fever Countdown is being held at the Universalist Church on Thursday, Feb. 7, at 1 p.m. Note that it will not be at Bryant as formerly planned. Crafts and a puzzle and Tai Chi will be enjoyed.

Vince Stevens is doing well after surgery on his hand last week.

Sylvia McCann now has an abundance of yarn and is grateful for the many donations. But please, she does not need any more. She will provide yarn to anyone interested in helping her make mittens, hats, and scarves for the children for next winter.

Dorothy Christie is a patient at Market Square Health Care Center in South Paris for re-evaluation and would enjoy cards.

Herbie Dunham will be guest speaker at the Whitman Memorial Library on Bryant Pond on Thursday, Feb. 14, at 2 p.m. He will be talking about his book, "A Pebble on a Faraway Beach," memoirs of his time in Korea during the Korean War. The program is open to the public at no charge and light refreshments will be served. Please join us.

Guess I'll go drown my sorrows in the shower. Been a slow week besides and a disappointing finish. But always smile and keep them wondering what you are up to.

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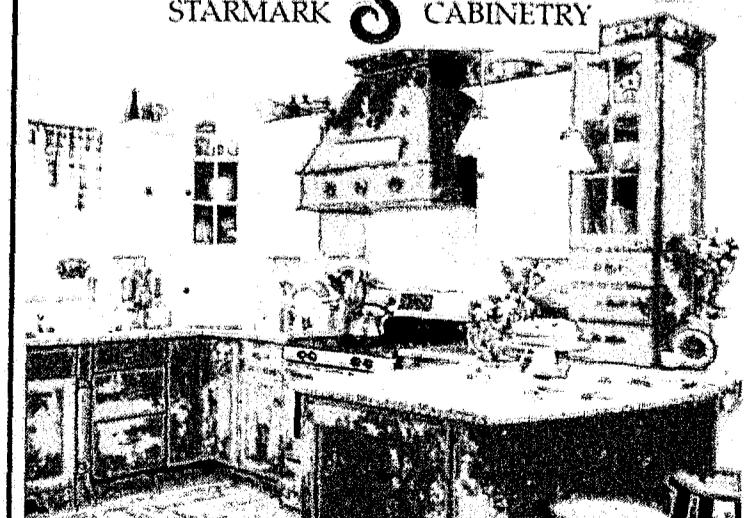
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refreshments will be served. Muffin is again taking up her spot on the desk and would like to help me type.

## Bryant Pond

by Alice Hoyt

Guest speaker at the Whitman Memorial Library will be Herbie Dun-

ham, who will speak about his book, "Pebble on a Faraway Beach," his memories and experiences in the Korean War. This will be Thursday, Feb. 14, at 2 p.m. All welcome at no charge and light refreshments will be served.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5 p.m., evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting and Friday at 6:30 p.m. is youth group. Looking ahead there will be a Missions Conference at the church

Feb. 27 to March 2. The theme: "Give Yourself to the Lord," 2 Cor. 8:5. The main speaker will be Peter Chamberlain, Rock of Ages Prison Ministry. Other speakers will be John Romano with C.E.F.; Josh and Hannah Gregg, Church planter in Flagstaff, Ariz.; Tom Wallace, layman at the Whitman Memorial Library will be Herbie Dun-

ham, who will speak about his book, "Pebble on a Faraway Beach," his memories and experiences in the Korean War. This will be Thursday, Feb. 14, at 2 p.m. All welcome at no charge and light refreshments will be served.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will meet at the Town Conference Room on Thursday (today), Feb. 7, for a meeting at 11:30 a.m., potluck dinner, silent auction and Ken Ruff from the Fire Department will tell about smoke alarms for deaf or hard of hearing. Please bring a dish to share, your own place setting and an item for the silent auction. New members are always welcome.

Judith Grover Tent 17 D.U.V. will meet on Feb. 11 at the home of Alice Hoyt for a regular meeting at 7 p.m.

### Historical Society

The Historical Society Museum has a file box of postcards and several containers of costume jewelry. There are letters from famous people, even

The Historical Society meeting will be Saturday, Feb. 9, at the Town Conference Room at 7 p.m. Larry Billings attended the Baptist Church with his family on Sunday. Sometimes Larry listens to opera broadcast on Saturday afternoons.

## Albany



by Sheila Dyke

Greetings and hello from Albany Township. We hope that everyone out there has been enjoying the fairly warm weather (above freezing is warm to me in January!).

And of course the big topic was Sunday's Super Bowl game and the Giants win over the Patriots.

Dana and David got right into the spirit of the game — making up a bunch of food and then settling down to watch the Big Game.

Before the game, David asked Dana if he wanted to put a wager on the game; Dana said yes, and told David to pick his team. After he learned the Patriots had an undefeated sea-

son, he chose them, and then tried to talk Dad into upping the wager. Dana didn't fall for it, though.

David was happy throughout the game as the Pats kept the Giants from scoring big. Then, those last two minutes showed up; I had thought "Yeah, the game's done, they'll just try and waste the time," but Dana and David remained glued to the set, certain something was going to happen, and, of course, it did.

David was so disappointed when the Giants scored during those last two minutes! But, he kept cheering on the Pats, hoping they'd save the day (and their perfect undefeated season record) by gaining those few points they so desperately needed.

Then Brady was knocked down, and David knew that was it. He sulked big time during part of the post-game show!

You would have thought the little guy was the coach or player, rather than an 11-year-old boy who hadn't paid much attention during the football season.

But, it was all in fun, and everyone enjoyed themselves. And, we hope everyone out there did, too. Personally, I was more interested in catching the "Star Trek: Enterprise" marathon on Sci-Fi (although I have to admit I enjoyed the Tom Petty and the Heartbreakers half-time show, and the food Dana and David made up was quite good).

Here are a few calendar notes: Tuesday was the anniversary of the Constitution; Wednesday was Ash Wednesday, and today is the Lunar

New Year. Next Tuesday is Lincoln's Birthday and, of course, Thursday is Valentine's Day.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep,

*From*  
**Bethel Historical  
Society's Regional  
History Center**

Jay Boschetti of Steam Mill Antiques will be present during the 34th annual Heritage Day on Saturday, Feb. 16, 1 to 4 p.m. at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center's Robinson House to provide, for a \$5 donation, an opinion and some idea of value on antiques and collectibles (limited to one or two items).

Boschetti has spent many years since he was young collecting and dealing in vintage pieces and has operated his business in the Steam Mill section of Bethel for the past several years.

Other attractions during the day are five exhibits (Androscoggin River, White Mountain Souvenirs, Maine Barns, O'Neil Robinson House and Bethel) at the O'Neil Robinson House that will be available for viewing. Several craftspeople will be doing some traditional crafts. There will also be a series of historical films on local history subjects. At the Dr. Moses Mason House tours will be available with warm Indian pudding served from the hearth of the winter kitchen. The museum shop will also be open. Everyone is welcome.

With over 1,440 members, the Bethel Historical Society, founded in 1966, is western Maine's largest and most comprehensive full-time historical agency, dedicated to collecting, preserving, and interpreting the regional past for present and future generations. For over 40 years, the society's activities have included lectures, exhibits, special events, heritage festivals, family reunions, workshops, conferences, school and educational programs, and publications. In 1974, the society acquired the former Broad Street residence of Dr. Moses Mason, which now contains a period house museum, exhibit hall and research library. In 1999, the society opened the O'Neil Robinson House (next door at 10 Broad Street) to the public for an expanded exhibit program, museum shop space, and administrative offices. Through the years, the society's achievements have been recognized by a number of state and national organizations.

Further information about the society and its activities may be obtained by calling 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910, or by sending an e-mail to info@bethelhistorical.org. Additional information can also be obtained by checking the society's website at www.bethelhistorical.org. The society's mailing address is P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012.

*From*  
**Mundt-Allen Post  
& Unit 81**

Several members of Post and Unit 81 joined the Locke Mills Unit 68 Auxiliary in serving supper to the "Veterans/No Boundaries" disabled veterans and their volunteer instructors at the Locke Mills American Legion Hall on Saturday, Feb. 2. Jeri Greenwell, a member of the Veterans/No Boundaries Board of Directors, coordinated with Maine Handicapped Skiing, various veterans' organizations and

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Unit 68 Auxiliary to set up this supper as part of the four days' events scheduled for the Veterans over the weekend.

Post 68 member Al Lake was instrumental in opening the facility and helping the ladies in the kitchen. Anita Hakala headed up the group of the Unit 68 kitchen crew that prepared the chicken pie supper; these hardworking ladies included Honey Bailey, Irene Redman, Doreen Wilbur, Vera Cross and Stan and Ruth Sobociński. The Post and Unit 81 volunteers included Jeri and Jerry Greenwell, Norm and Sylvia Clanton, Nesta and Dick Littlefield and Rich and Mona Grover. These folks assisted with setup, serving, dishwashing and cleanup after dinner.

Following the meal, another group of volunteers entertained the Veterans with a casino setup with card games, a money wheel and a dice table. The Veterans were issued a stash of poker chips and enjoyed an evening of gambling. (No money involved). Some of the volunteers were inexperienced with this kind of activity and needed some coaching in how to play dice and some of the other games. The special guests had a good time at this different kind of activity.

On Sunday, Feb. 2, Mundt-Alien Post 81 members Dick Littlefield, Bob McCartney, Norm Clanton and Rich Grover had the special privilege of assisting to celebrate Elmer Waterhouse's 100th birthday at Ledgeview Nursing Home auditorium. William (Will) Estrada, Elmer's great-grandson, is stationed in Iraq and participating in Operation Iraqi Freedom. Will arranged to send an American flag, which had flown over his unit in Iraq last Christmas, home to be presented to his great-grandfather on his 100th birthday. Will's mother, Marylin, had attended one of the 4th of July celebrations at the Moses Mason House in Bethel when Post 81 had presented the colors; she phoned Post 81 commander Grover and asked if he could arrange a similar presentation for Elmer's 100th celebration, which he was happy to do. The Legionnaires marched across the auditorium to Elmer's position by the 100th birthday cake, where they presented the "Iraq American Flag" to

Elmer, along with the certificate of authenticity which describes Will's unit and the conditions under which the flag flew there.

*From*  
**The Lewin Center**

This week (Feb. 7-10) The Lewin Center, at the Gehring House, will host 30 Fielding Graduate University doctoral students in human and organizational development. Nancy Davis, the Center's program director, reports that this four-day seminar, their fourth annual to be held in Bethel, will focus on Systems Theories and Change in individuals, groups, organizations and communities.

The Fielding Graduate University has students across the nation supported by their central office in Santa Barbara, Calif. ([www.fielding.edu](http://www.fielding.edu)). All Fielding students are mid-career students who integrate their doctoral studies with their own work in their home location.

The faculty for this seminar will be Fielding faculty members Charlie Seashore and Fred Steier, joined by Edie Seashore, and Jane Jorgenson from the University of South Florida in Tampa. Bethelite Janet Willie will be a resource person for the seminar.

On Saturday students will meet with members of the Bethel community to understand more about how local citizens understand and describe Bethel as a system in the process of change.

Teams of four students will each meet with a local citizen and take a "field trip" to their own particular setting in Bethel.

Past participants have been very enthusiastic about their experience in Bethel, and this will be one of the largest groups since the inception of the program.

*From*  
**Sunday River**

Sunday River and New England Telemark (NET), a group of telemark skiing instructors dedicated to teaching and sharing their love of the sport, will host the Sixth Annual Maine Telemark Festival on Saturday, Feb. 23. The festi-



**GATE CRASHER**  
Gould Academy sophomore Devon Brown skis a slalom course in a USSA race held Sunday at Shawnee Peak in Bridgton. Brown placed eighth among the 37 skiers who finished the race.  
(Photo: A. Aloisio)

**High School Boys' Varsity Basketball**

Livermore Falls 88, Telstar 54; Feb. 4—Telstar scorers: Dan Vaughn 8; Andy Whitney 8, Ryan Hannigan 7; Mike Fleet 6; Kyle Maines 5; Alex Gunderson 4; Bryce Walker 4; James Kimball 4; Joel Putnam 4; Jon Sabins 2.

**High School Boys' J.V. Basketball**

Livermore Falls 55; Telstar 44; Feb. 4—Telstar scorers: Joel Putnam 19; Ben Field 8; T.J. O'Connor 5; Alex Gunderson 5; Justin Smith 2; Elek Pew 2; Eric Roy 2. O'Connor had 12 rebounds and Gunderson 8.

Dirigo 51, Telstar 35; Jan. 28—Telstar scorers: Joel Putnam 16; Alex Gunderson 8; Elek Pew 4; Ben Field 4; T.J. O'Connor 3. Putnam had 10 rebounds and Field seven.

**High School Girls' Varsity Basketball**

Telstar 44, Jay 36; Feb. 4—Telstar scorers: Bailey Davis 17; Josie Reiss 12; Kayla Merrill 9; Brianna Douglass 4; Abby Hutchins 2. Davis had three three-pointers.

Hyde School 46, Gould 36; Feb. 2—Gould junior Michaela Cummings led Gould with 11 points, followed by senior Chelsea O'Brien with 10. It was the last home contest for the Gould seniors. Seniors Shannon Littlefield, Chelsea O'Brien and Brittan Rogers played a tenacious last game on Lombard Court, and were honored by their teammates prior to the game.

val includes equipment demos, clinics, a mogul competition, costume contest, and other activities designed to bring devoted telemark skiers together and welcome newcomers.

Participation in all activities will be free with the purchase

of a special festival lift ticket, or \$20 for season pass holders.

NET is the only Professional Ski Instructors of America (PSIA) certified telemark ski

school in the U.S. The group originated in Maine in the early 1990s and now includes 35 instructors who gather together to teach at telemark festivals and clinics all over

northern New England. The Maine Telemark Festival is NET's largest event, averaging nearly 300 participants annually.

"This year we have even

**High School Cross-country Skiing**

Co-ed Nordic Skiing, Sassi Memorial 5km Classical at Black Mountain; Feb. 2—Gould freshman Alice Hotopp placed 40th; sophomore Catherine Harnden 47th, and freshman Samantha Southam 61st out of 152 girls. Hotopp and Harnden qualified for the J2 festival with Southam as second alternate. Sophomore Peter Cowan placed fourth, sophomore Scott Talbot 10th, senior Derek Harnden 24th, and eighth grader Jeb Clarke 37th, senior Lucien Childs-Mitchell 67th, senior Jeff Lewis 89th, and senior Brad Boden placed 137th out of 231 racers. Clarke qualified for the J2 festival with Lewis as the second alternate.

**TMS Cross-country Skiing**

Classical race with Tripp and Auburn middle schools; Jan. 31—The Telstar girls placed second overall while the boys took first place honors. Individual scoring: Girls: Molly Siegel took second with a time of 12:23; Kendra Carter took 11th with a time of 15:45; Abbie Goldberg took 14th with a time of 16:06. Boys: Adam Mahan took second place with a time of 10:58; James Picirillo third with a time of 11:48; Caleb Clarke fourth with a time of 11:50; Matthew Keane fifth with a time of 12:15; Ben Lewis sixth with a time of 12:18; Andrew Siegel eighth with a time of 12:58; Aiden Clarke ninth with a time of 13:11; Casey Kellner 10th with a time of 13:13; James Lowell 13th with a time of 14:33.

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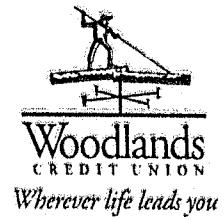
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more gear sized right for kids," said Biff Higgison, co-director of NET. "We'll also be doing a clinic designed for kids and families as part of the event. There's just something wonderful about dropping your knee to make a turn and when you learn to link those turns it can be like dancing."

NET's instructors will offer a variety of clinics for all abilities during the Maine Telemark Festival, including crossover clinics for alpine skiers who want to make the switch, as well as clinics for women, moguls, masters, and more. Clinics are 90 minutes long and will be offered at 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Private lessons will also be given at a rate of \$45 an hour.

Many top telemark gear manufacturers will offer demos during the event. Full-day

rentals will also be available. The festival's scheduled activities also include a mogul competition, a raffle, awards ceremony and an après ski party at White Cap Lodge.

The Maine Telemark Festival headquarters will be at White Cap Lodge. Further information on the event and New England Telemark is available at [www.netelemark.com](http://www.netelemark.com). More information on lodging options and events at Sunday River is available at [www.sundayriver.com](http://www.sundayriver.com).

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**Western  
Mountains Senior  
College**

Don't miss Chris Sweet's presentation tonight (Thurs-

day) at the Gehring House library from 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Chris, who is a producer of Maine Public Broadcasting Network programs, is associated with The Lifelong Learning Program at Maine Senior College Network. He will speak on an exciting outreach program that will select content originated by Maine's 16 Senior Colleges and present it on a new lifelong learning service on MPBN.net.

**Final Sunday Movie**

Robert Altman's film, "Buffalo Bill and the Indians: Sitting Bull's History," will be shown and discussed at the final edition of Sunday Afternoon at the Movies at Telstar High School library on Sunday, Feb. 10, from 1:30 to 4 p.m. Bring your own cushion for more comfortable seating and enjoy free popcorn.

**The Full Angel  
Presentation**

Susan Poulin, award-winning writer and performer

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**SISTER TANDEM**—Michaela and Abbie Cummings of Bethel compete in the tandem Nordic ski event at Gould Academy's annual Winter Carnival. (Photo: Dirk MacKnight/Gould Academy)

**School Lunch**  
Week of Feb. 11

**Telstar Lunches**

**Monday:** Chicken O's, buttered noodles, carrots, dinner roll, pizza choices, cheeseburger/bun, hot dog/roll.  
**Tuesday:** Sandwich and salad bar, sloppy joe/bun, green beans, pizza choices, chicken patty/bun, cheeseburger/bun.  
**Wednesday:** Pasta bar, 2 pasta choices, 2 sauce choices, breadstick, pizza choices, cheeseburger/bun, hot dog/bun.  
**Thursday:** Turkey/stuffing casserole, cranberry sauce, peas, dinner roll, valentine cake, pizza choices (no hot sandwich choices).  
**Friday:** Soft tortilla turkey wrap, fishburger/bun, chicken patty/bun, cheeseburger/bun, pizza choices.

**SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches**

**Monday:** Chicken O's, rice pilaf, carrots, salad and fruit bar, tuna sandwich w/pickle, pb&j sandwich.  
**Tuesday:** Sloppy joe, green beans, salad and fruit bar, nachos w/cheese and salsa, pb&j sandwich.  
**Wednesday:** Pizza, corn cobettes, salad and fruit bar, hot dog, pb&j sandwich.  
**Thursday:** Turkey/gravy, mashed potato, peas, cranberry sauce, roll, valentine cake, salad and fruit bar, hot ham and cheese/bun, pb&j sandwich.  
**Friday:** Soft tortilla turkey wrap, rice pilaf, salad and fruit bar, cheeseburger, pb&fluff sandwich.

**Oxford Hills District**

**Monday:** Hot dog/bun, buttered pasta, pineapple chunks, milk.  
**Tuesday:** Ham Italian, corn chips, fruit salad, milk.  
**Wednesday:** Spaghetti w/meat sauce, dinner roll, green beans, apple slices, milk.  
**Thursday:** Mexican cheese sticks w/marinara sauce, corn on cob, strawberry cup, milk.  
**Friday:** Peanut butter and jelly uncrustables, carrot sticks,

**Notice of Public Comment Period**

**Renewal of Zoning Petition 155 for the  
White Mountain National Forest**

The Maine Land Use Regulation Commission is seeking public comment on the proposed renewal of Zoning Petition ZP 155, for the White Mountain National Forest. The USDA Forest Service has requested a renewal of the Resource Plan Protection (P-RP) Subdistrict for the 30,973 acre portion of the White Mountain National Forest in the Townships of Albany, Batchelder Grant and Mason, in Oxford County, Maine. Under this subdistrict, the Forest Service's Land and Resource Management Plan supersedes LURC's Comprehensive Land Use Plan and Land Use Districts and Standards within the national forest. The Forest Service is not required to obtain permits from the Commission for activities on its lands in these areas provided its activities comply with the Management Plan.

**Written comments should be sent  
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Tim Beaucage, Maine Land Use Regulation Commission, 22 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0022. Comments may also be submitted by e-mail to [timothy.beaucage@maine.gov](mailto:timothy.beaucage@maine.gov).

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The theme for this year's One Book One Community program is "Making A Difference; People, Organizations, Communities," and the one book chosen to be read is "Here If You Need Me" by Kate Braestrup. Books are on sale at 12 different locations around the Oxford Hills.

The kick-off date for the book discussions and programs will be Monday, March 3, and the author will speak in the Forum at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School at 7 p.m.

"Here If You Need Me" is the author's memoir of her journey to a new life after the death of her husband, as well as an account of the many and varied experiences of being the chaplain for the Maine Warden Service.

She speaks with warmth and directness about these topics in her public presentations. Following the kick-off event there will be discussions of her book in 10 different locations throughout the Oxford Hills during the month of March.

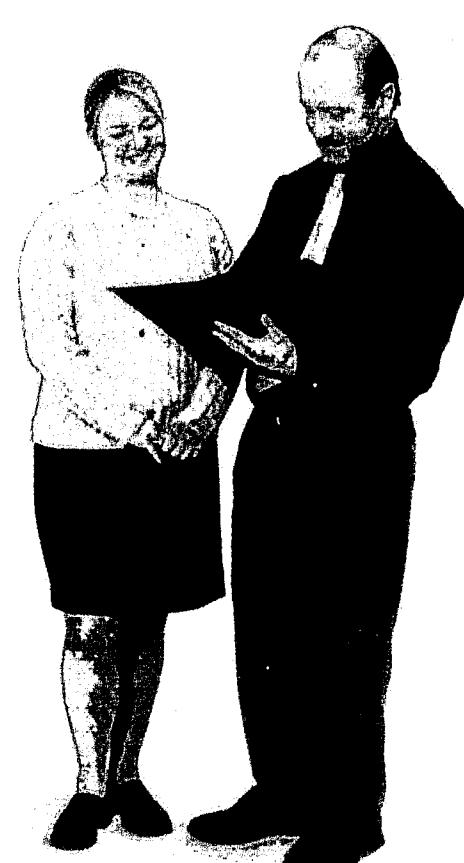
There will also be programs on topics related to the book and the theme on the next four Monday evenings in March—the 10th, 17th, 24th, and 31st.

To purchase "Here If You Need Me" contact any of the following libraries: Bolster Mills Village Library (583-6421), Freeland Holmes Library, Oxford (539-4016), Harrison Village Library (583-2970), Hebron Academy Library (986-2100 ext. 237), Norway Memorial Library (743-5309).

Other libraries offering the book for sale are Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School (743-8914, ext. 5107), Paris Public Library (743-6994), Stephens Memorial Library (743-5933, ext. 323), Waterford Library (583-2050), West Paris Public Library (674-2804), Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond (674-2505) and Zadock Long Free Library, Buckfield (336-2171).

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## Events Calendar



**THE FULL ANGEL**, written and read by award-winning writer and performer Susan Poulin will be presented at the West Parish Congregational Church, Church Street, Bethel, on Sunday, Feb. 10, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. "The Full Angel" invites you to a celebration of life, loss, love and hope. Susan Poulin creates a series of vignettes that chronicle the death of her mother, her family's struggle and courage, and the healing power of love. Critics have said this memoir, "...should be shared with others as it is inspiring and reminds us all about the gift of being a family"; "...a story with the power to teach, encourage and refresh caregivers of all kinds"; "...a brilliant and beautiful piece." Cited as equally rewarding is the discussion period that follows this presentation. Wayne DuPlessis, counselor, will facilitate. The program is open to the public and admission is free. However, donations will be accepted to offset senior college expenses. Refreshments will be available. The program is presented as a community service by the To Your Health Committee of Western Mountains Senior College, MSAD#44/Community Education, Bethel Family Health Center, and Wayne DuPlessis. FMI call 824-2053.

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mini Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. — The Yet To Be Named Banjo Club practices in the Commons of the Fare Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists are invited to join. The public is welcome to come in and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2360.

7 p.m. (second Tuesday each month) — Open mike original poetry reading @ Mouse and Bean, 63 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2366. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene.

First and Third Wednesdays 9 to 12 a.m. — Veterans' Advocate will be at Maine Veterans' Home, South Paris.

Wednesdays 6 to 7:30 p.m. — People in recovery from alcohol/drug addiction may need to move to a Next Step group. Open to everyone who feels they may benefit from a change. FMI: call Laurence Austin at 824-4077 (all calls confidential).

Sundays 7 p.m. — Adult Indoor Soccer at Telstar Gymnasium. Starts Jan. 6, \$10 for winter/ spring.

Thru Feb. 13 — Tai Chi Classes will be held from 10 to 11 a.m. at Ellie's Express and 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Bethel Health Center, taught by Betsy Foster and sponsored by Goose Eye Institute. FMI: call Betsy Foster at 875-2426.

Wednesday nights — TOPS, take off pounds sensibly, meets at Bethel Alliance Church from 5:30 to 6 p.m. (weigh in) and meeting from 6 to 6:30 p.m. All welcome. FMI: call 824-3288.

Wednesdays at 9 a.m. — Moving Freely Exercise class at Andover Town Hall. FMI: call Pam Pace at 357-0108.

**Thursday, Feb. 7**  
11:30 a.m. — Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens meeting (today) at the Town Conference

Room. Potluck luncheon and silent auction. Bring dish to share and your own place setting for the dinner and an item for the silent auction.

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### MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Darcy Lund at 739-2888.

### MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

### POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5:30-6 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

### REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

### VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Career Center in Rumford (364-3718), second Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

### EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish Churches in Stoneham and North Waterford - Services at 10 a.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church (UCC), located on the Five Kezars Road off Routes 35 & 37, opposite Melby's Market. Services held at North Waterford through the winter months. Choir practice 9am, followed by Bible Study at 9:15am.

## Library Hours

**Andover Library:** Tuesday, Wednesday, and Saturday 1-4:30pm; Thursday 1-4:30 & 6-8 pm. Tel: 392-4841

**Bethel Library:** Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian. 824-2520.

**Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill:** Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9pm. Tel: 743-2980

**Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond:** Tel. 665-2505. Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

**West Paris Library, West Paris:** Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm; Saturday 10-2pm. 674-2004

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THURSDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 7, 2008										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil	News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	Cheers	South Park	
(32) Grounded	Grounded	Movie: "Matilda"		Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club				
6 207	Inside	Deal or No Deal	The Celebrity Apprentice	Lipstick Jungle	News					
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Lost	Lost	Eli Stone	News					
10 News-Lehrer	Maine	Scully	Mystery!	On Stage at	Charlie Rose					
(22) College Basketball: West Virginia at Pittsburgh	College Basketball: Indiana at Illinois									
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn	TNA IMPACT!		Pros vs. Joes						
(13) Entertain	The Insider	Survivor: Micro	CSI: Crime Scn	Without a Trace	News					
(41) Sports	Tailgate	Sport Science	Best Damn Sports Show	Sports	College Basketball: UCLA at Wash. St.					
(15) Star Wars: Ep. III	Inside the NFL	Treatment	Treatment	The Wire	Real Sex 27: Slippery					
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Wendy Wu: Homecoming Warrior"	So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana				
(18) "My Super Ex-Girlfriend"	Movie: "Trading Places"	Movie: "Grandma's Boy"								
(20) College Hockey: Beanpot Tournament	College Hockey: Beanpot Tournament									
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Witness"						
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Mission: Impossible 2"						
(24) School	Zoey 101	Drake	SpongeBob	Home Imp.	Home Imp.	Lopez	Lopez	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Movie: "Sniper" Cont'd	Movie: "The Matrix"									
(26) Law Order: CI	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU								
(27) CSI: Miami	The First 48	The First 48	The First 48	American Justice						
(12) Funniest Home Videos	Movie: "Blood and Wine"			WGN News at Nine	Scrubs	Scrubs				
(39) Lou Dobbs Tonight	CNN Election Center	Larry King Live	Anderson Cooper 360							

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(32) Grounded	Grounded	Movie: "Matilda"		Wildfire		Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club		
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(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil	News	Jeopardy!	Frasier	Frasier	Cheers	Cheers	South Park	
(32) Grounded	Grounded	Movie: "Never Been Kissed"		Funniest Home Videos		The 700 Club				
6 207	Inside	1 vs. 100	Friday Night Lights	Las Vegas	News					
8 Fortune	Jeopardy!	Grey's Anatomy	Desperate Housewives	20/20	News					
10 News-Lehrer	Wash Wk	Maine	Bill Moyers Journal	NOW	Expose	Charlie Rose				
(22) SportsCir.	NBA	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Minnesota Timberwolves	NBA Basketball: Wizards at Nuggets							
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(13) Entertain	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer	Moonlight	NUMB3RS	News					
(41) Tailgate	Celtics Pre.	NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Minnesota Timberwolves	Celtics	Sports	Sports					
(15) Inside the NFL	The Wire	Treatment	Treatment	Entourage	Entourage	Real Time				
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Chicken Little"	Phineas	So Raven	Life Derek	Suite Life	Montana			
(18) "The Number 23" Cont'd	Movie: "16 Blocks"	Movie: "Die Hard 2"								
(20) Bruins	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at Buffalo Sabres									
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Naked	Naked	Top Party	Party	Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
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er, will present The Full Angel on Sunday, Feb. 10, at the West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Wayne DuPlessis, counselor, will facilitate the discussion after her talk. This memoir is a celebration of life, loss, love and hope.

## Soups Made for Swapping

There's a new winter activity coming up. It's a "soup swap." It takes place on Friday, Feb. 29, Leap Day, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Lewin Center's Gehring House, 77 Broad Street, Bethel.

WMSC joins with hundreds of groups across the country in hosting a soup swap.

The idea of a soup swap started in Seattle, Wash. A group of people there who made dinner for themselves every night often made a whole vat of something to last a good part of the week. After a couple of days, it wasn't so tasty. They solved this problem by organizing friends for soup swaps. After several years, a Seattle resident inaugurated National Soup Swap Day. The word soon spread over food blogs and a critical mass of soup makers staged events all

over the country last January. This year's national event was held Jan. 28, although many groups staged their events on other dates. People came to the event armed with frozen containers of soup and swapped with others for a new variety of meals to take home. There's actually a website, "soupswap.com" where people across the country have shared ideas.

Here's how it will work at the upcoming WMSC event. If you wish to participate, you may bring your favorite soup to the event. Two quarts can be brought hot in a crockpot or an insulated pot ready for tasting, and four quarts frozen in individual containers for swapping. A copy of the recipe listing all ingredients must be attached. After everyone present has a chance to taste the soups, those who brought four quarts of frozen soup can select an equal number of frozen quarts of other soups to take home.

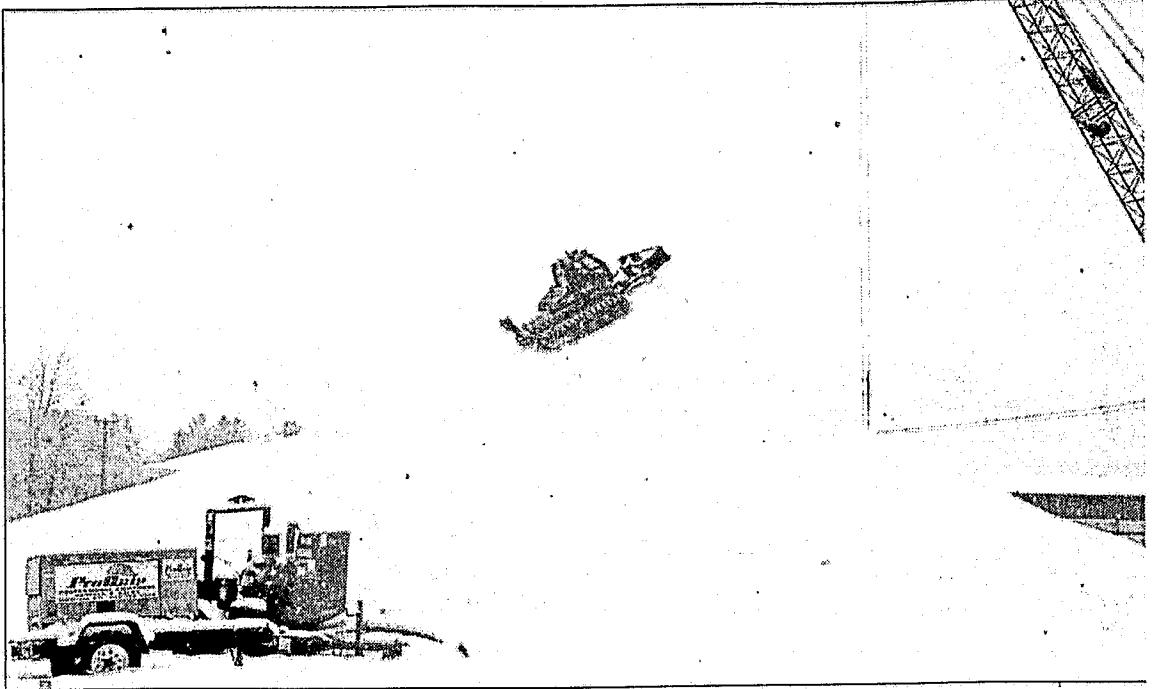
Participants may also bring extra quarts of their soup to be purchased by those who no longer cook in bulk, but who would like to attend and enjoy having soup to start in mid-March.

participate in ways other than bringing soup, you may bring a dessert, bread or crackers for added refreshments.

Committee members planning the event need a count of persons who will be bringing soups, those who wish to bring added refreshments, or anyone who wants to attend just to enjoy the activity. Please contact one of the committee members by Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, if possible, or no later than Friday, Feb. 22 to register for the event or obtain more information. Call Marcia Foster-Austin at 824-3400, Beth Brough at 875-2216 or Rosemary McLean at 665-2926.

Admission to the event is free but you are asked to bring a non-perishable food or canned food for the local Food Pantry. All proceeds from extra soups sold will also be donated to the food pantry.

This new social event is a WMSC member-only event. However, persons who wish to join WMSC and attend may contact Jackie Cressy at 824-0508. New members would also be eligible to join upcoming WMSC spring classes that start in mid-March.



EVER HIGHER—On Wednesday, as Mother Nature helped out with the second snowstorm in two days, a snow groomer pushed the Bethel SnowWoman snow into a steeper pile. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

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A \$250 grant to Telstar High School's physics classes was received from the Leon P. Goldberg Physics Fund of the Philadelphia Foundation.

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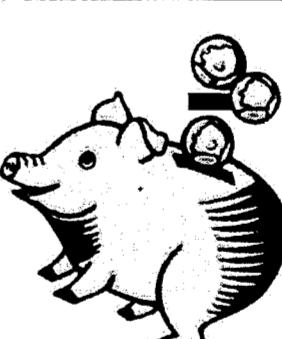
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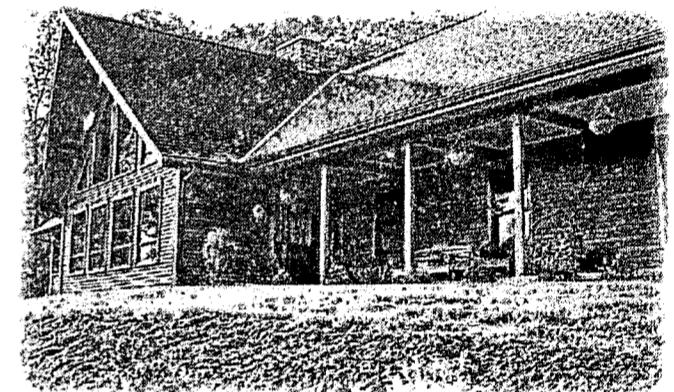
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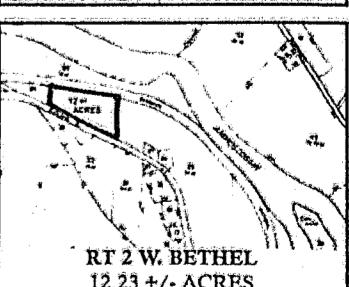
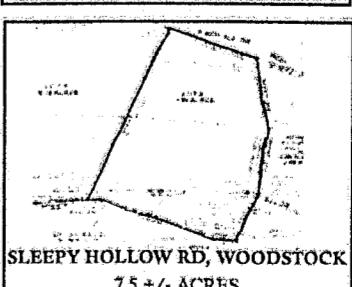
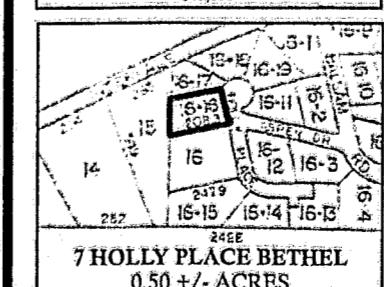
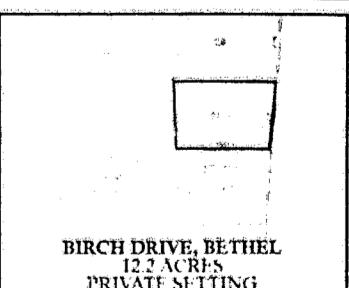
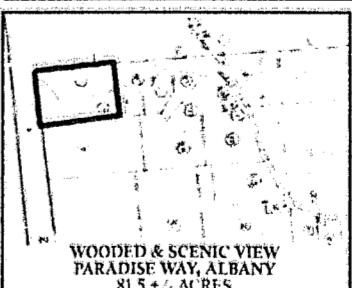
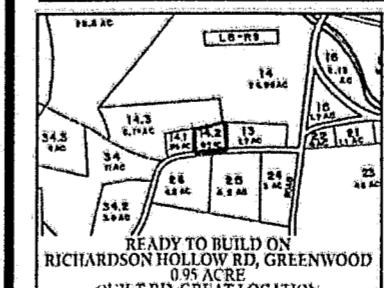
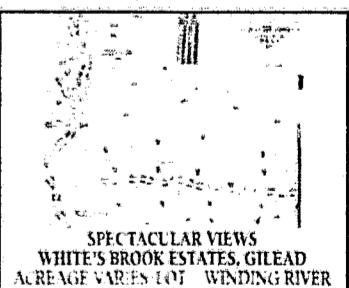
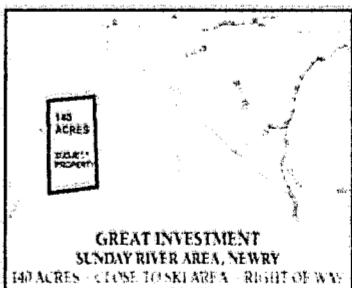
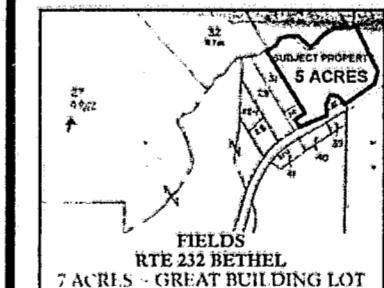
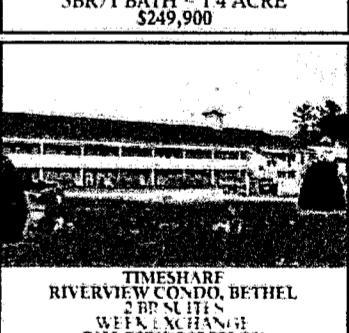
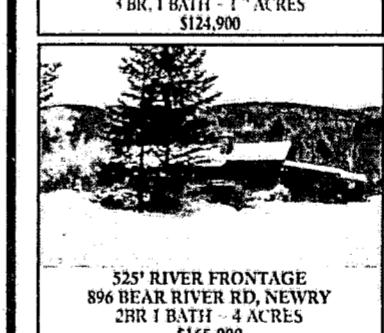
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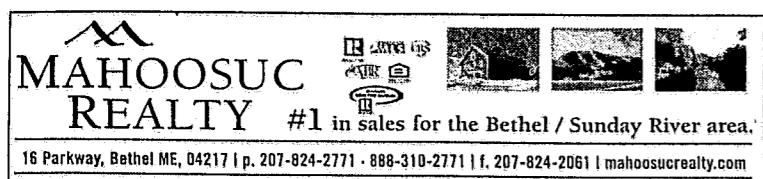
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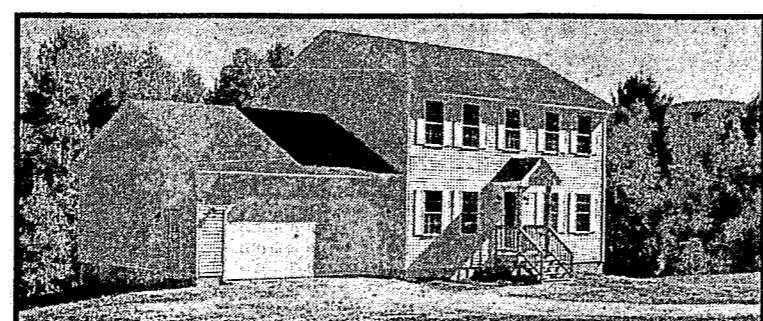
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## NEW LISTING!



536 Prospect Ave., Rumford - Spacious 3-4 bedroom duplex, located on a large in town lot in the Virginia section of Rumford has many recent updates, very nice front and back porches and a large, sunny yard. Good income property with plenty of off street parking. Tenants pay for own heat and electricity. \$85,000

## NEW LISTING!



6 Marcus St., Livermore - Newly renovated, 4 BR saltbox in "like new" condition showcases beautiful bamboo, maple & tile flooring throughout its sunny and spacious, open concept layout and need some finishing touches. Kitchen, island, living room, fireplace, full basement w/works, large wraparound deck, and plenty of play space in the big backyard. 50' deeded ROV to Bretton Pond, sandy beach. \$190,000

## NEW LISTING!



31 Vernon Street, Bethel - Large multi-family located within walking distance of all town amenities has two large apartments, each with separate heat, hot water, and electricity. A partially finished studio unit in the first floor of the barn with electric and heat could easily be finished for a third income producing or owner occupied unit. Town water & sewer. Solid rental history. \$180,000

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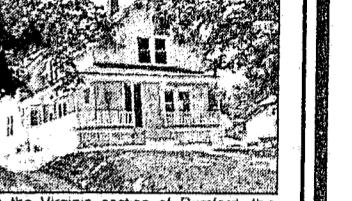
19 Free St., Rumford - Large multi-family farmhouse is situated on a corner lot on the hilltop with a large yard and views. One unit on the first floor has 2/3 bedrooms; second unit is multi-level on the 2nd and 3rd floors and has multiple bedrooms. Attached barn/garage; could be converted back to large single family. \$80,000

## NEW LISTING!



Awesome 5 Bedroom New Englander situated on a beautifully landscaped 4.25 acre parcel in a highly visible location on the outskirts of Bethel Village offers stunning mountain vista views, a large fenced yard, and over 4,400 sq ft of finished living space providing an ample opportunity for a home based business, B&B, or commercial venture. \$349,000

## NEW LISTING!



located in the Virginia section of Rumford, offers a great B&B New Englander with all the trimmings and waiting for you and your belongings. The "like new", freshly painted home offers plush, never-been-worn carpeting, attractive ceiling moldings, beautiful trim, solid wood floors, new kitchen countertops, 2 brand new bathrooms, and all new appliances including a washer/dryer. The central air system, gas fireplace, and a great porch are just a few of the extras. Come See the rest for yourself! \$106,900

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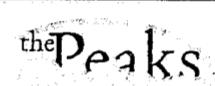


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These affordable two-level town houses feature three bedrooms, 2.5 baths, and 1800+ square feet of living space. The Pines is located just over one mile from South Ridge Lodge at Sunday River, on the Mountain Explorer bus route, in a natural wooded setting with frontage and access to the Sunday River.

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## AREA PROPERTIES



4 Franklin Rd, Newry: Spectacular 3-br/2.5 bath authentic log home 2 miles from Sunday River. Upscale furnishings include antique pine floors, tile and granite kitchen/baths, custom cabinets, hot tub, den/loft, deck and first-floor master. \$519,900



465 Gore Road, Woodstock: Rare North Pond property on peninsula with 850 ft. of water frontage, deep water, dock. Property includes 4-br home, detached 2-car garage, rental cabin, outdoor stone fireplace and cedar playset. Lovely 180-degree views. \$699,000



62 Mountain Valley Road, Bethel: This contemporary 3-BR/2.5-bath home is perfect for living & entertaining. Beautiful mountain views make this a perfect getaway for all four seasons. Open concept with 2 fireplaces, deck, 2-car garage. \$459,000



31 Riverwood Drive, Newry: This cozy cabin in the woods has 350 +/- feet of Bear River frontage. This ideal four-season home features 3 bedrooms, including master suite/bath, and 2nd full bath. Outdoor space includes a porch, deck and gazebo. \$425,000



Evergreen Lane, Newry: This 5-br/4.5-bath home in the exclusive neighborhood of The Colony features 2 master suites, 2 whirlpool tubs, and gourmet kitchen. Fully furnished - featuring 2-car garage, privileged parking at South Ridge, and private road straight to the lodge. \$749,000



17 Mason Street, #4: This 3-BR/2-bath unit has historic details, with an updated kitchen and laundry hook-up. In the Cameron House, next to beautiful, historical society grounds. You can walk everywhere in Bethel! \$199,000



446 Mayville Road, Bethel: This 4-BR is situated on 3 acres, and features cherry cabinetry, wet bar, two fireplaces, and great mountain views. Other amenities include radiant heat, cathedral ceilings, Brazilian cherry hardwood flooring, master suite and wood shop. \$659,000



44 Douglas Road, Newry: 6-bedroom, 5 1/2-bath is set on 4 acres with breathtaking views. Features include a heated pool with attached jacuzzi, hot tub, screened porch, wood fireplace, game room with loft, 1st floor master suite, 2-bedroom lockout apartment and much more. \$1,200,000



Woodstock: Set on a ridge w/views of Mt. Washington & the Presidents, this home provides more than 4600 sq ft of living space & plenty of privacy. A lap pool, wooded trails, hot tub, apartment & 2 bay garage create opportunity as a single-family oasis or bed & breakfast. \$499,000

## LAND

God's Gift Road, Songo Pond: Private, waterfront lot on Songo Pond. 1.9 acres, beautiful views & sunsets, sandy beach & dock. Power onsite. PENDING

Snowbird Lane, Powder Ridge, Lot 66: Spectacular views of SR's 8 peaks, easy access on cul-de-sac, natural boulders, conservation land in front for protected views. 1.18 acres. \$199,000

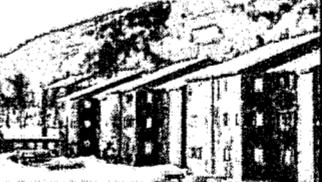
Powder Ridge Lot 90, Newry: 1.15 +/- acre lot in the exclusive Powder Ridge Subdivision near Sunday River Ski Resort provides great location for a year-round vacation home. \$83,500

Powder Ridge, Lot 92, Newry: Beautiful 1.13 +/- acre lot in the exclusive Powder Ridge subdivision, minutes from Sunday River's world-class skiing and golf. \$94,900

11 Keystone Drive, Newry: 2.22 +/- acre Powder Ridge lot offers views and roughed-in driveway. Two level areas with some sloping offer choice of home location. PENDING

Birch Woods, Lot 24, Bethel: Level 2.1-acre lot in beautiful neighborhood. Large building envelope w/potential mountain views and plenty of privacy. \$96,800

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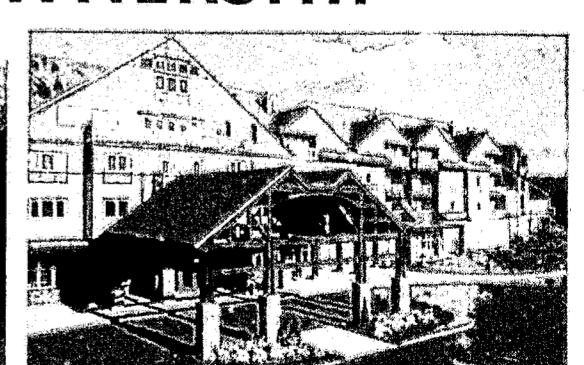


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Extraordinary home in a secluded western Maine setting. A true mountain jewel boasting spectacular, unobstructed views of Sunday River, kitchen, and full sunroom. Media room, ample detail and finish work. \$1,230,000

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Enjoy peaceful and tranquil country living. Spacious 3 bedroom 2 bath nestled in private setting with mature trees and panoramic views of hills and valleys. \$175,000

**POWDER RIDGE**  
Spacious log home located with great views of Sunday River Ski Resort. Nice open floor plan with cathedral ceiling and lots of windows. Great deck, master bedroom and bath. Being sold furnished. A great price not to be missed. \$449,000

**BRAND NEW HOME**  
Maple cabinets in kitchen, stainless steel appliances. Engineered wood flooring on the 1st floor. Hardwood carpeting 2nd floor. Abundance of closet space and solid surface counter tops in all baths. A must see! \$192,000

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**TWITCHELL BROOK ESTATES**  
Newly built condominiums spread across several 10+ acre lots and located east of Bethel village en route to Sunday River Ski/Colf Resort. Open floorplan with 3 BR, 2.5 BA, attached garage (end units), gas fireplace & more!

**LAKE CHRISTOPHER**  
Waterfront Condos with beach and dock available for the summer. Lake Christopher. Only 20 min from Sunday River Ski Resort and 10 min to Mt. Abram. Enjoy these fully furnished condos all year! \$179,000+

**NEW LISTING!**

**FALL LINE NORTH**  
Recently renovated one bedroom ski-in/out unit at Sunday River. Rental ready with new flooring, counter tops and furnishings. Priced to sell! Being sold fully furnished!! \$132,900

**NEW LISTING!**

**NORTH PEAK III**  
Beautiful 2 bedroom unit facing the mountains. Newly renovated with upgraded fireplace, new flooring and trim. Unit is being sold partially furnished. Amenities include heated outdoor hot tub, cedar locker, short walk to base of lift! \$215,000

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**WELL MAINTAINED THREE BEDROOM HOME**  
Well maintained, affordably priced 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath home close to town on a quiet street. Large eat-in efficient kitchen. Open floor plan with master suite on the first floor. Screened in porch, 2 car garage and out buildings. Established perennial gardens, rhubarb and asparagus beds. \$359,000

**NEW LISTING!**

**COZY UPDATED NEW ENGLANDER**  
Minutes to Sunday River and Mt Abram Ski Resorts, this updated New Englander sits on a lovely lot with views of the Presidential mountains. Lots of improvements and original character. Updated pine floors and a claw foot tub. A must see! \$169,000

**CHARMING NEW ENGLAND FARMHOUSE**  
Located in friendly Andover. Large and sunny four bedroom, inviting covered porch, vintage kitchen, period details, wood floors, attached barn, all on two acres. \$139,000

**THE PARKWAY**

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**LAKE CHRISTOPHER**  
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**TAYLOR WOODS LOG SIDED CHALET**  
Newly built log sided home located just behind the Taylor Woods. Stone fireplace, hardwood floors, spacious family room, porch. Deeded access to Androscoggin River. \$349,000

**NEW LISTING!**

**NEWLY BUILT-SUNDAY RIVER VIEWS.**  
Recently completed 3 bedroom log sided home with views of Sunday River. Located in a nice residential subdivision. Hardwood floors, stone fireplace, cathedral ceiling, large porch. Deeded access to the Androscoggin River. \$419,000

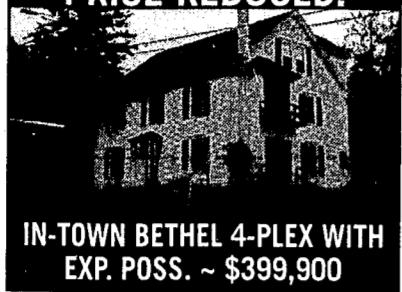
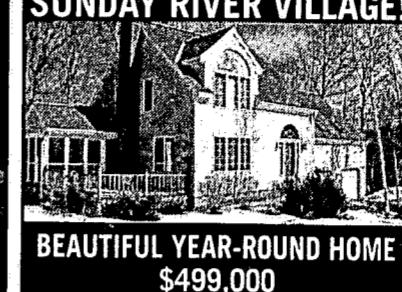
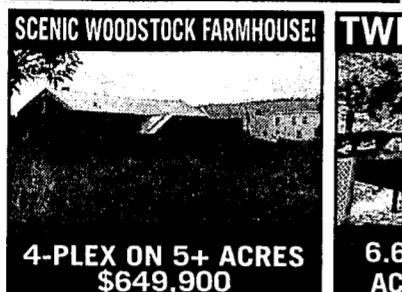
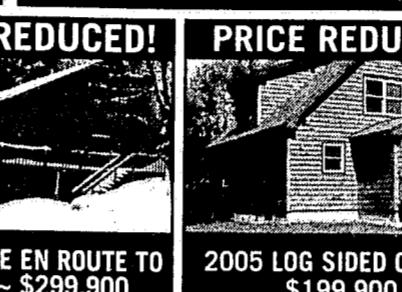
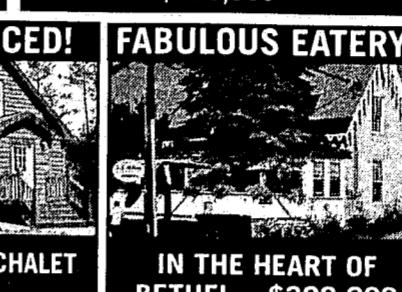
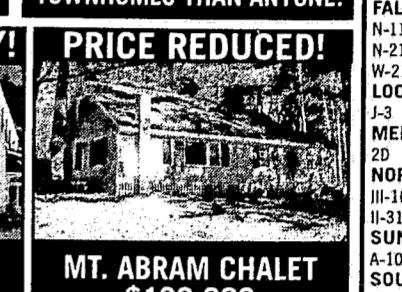
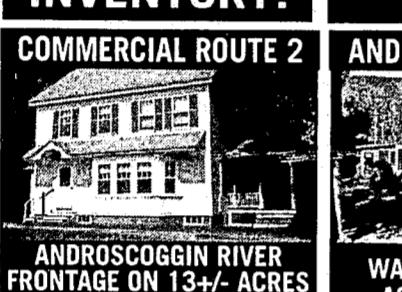
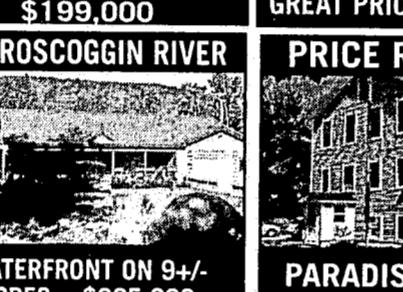
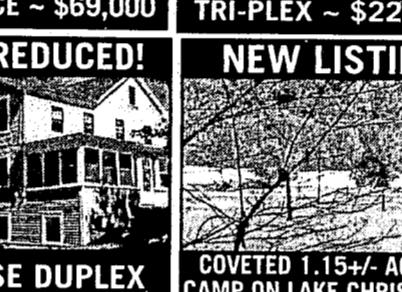
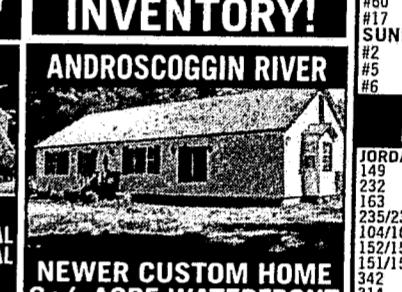
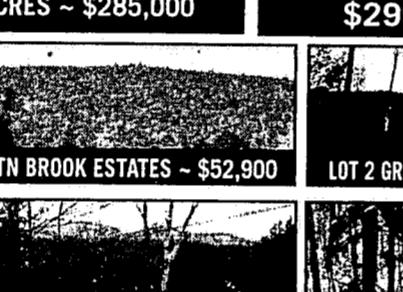
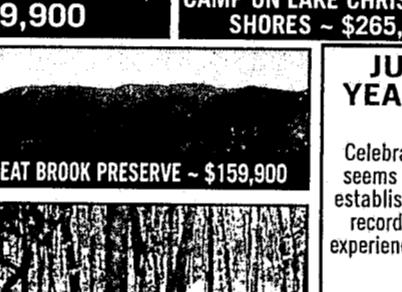
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B-208 2 BR \$189,900

A-206 2 BR \$195,000

B-102 2 BR \$199,900

A-303 2 BR \$224,900

B-108 2 BR \$224,900

B-209 Studio \$76,000

B-306 1 BR \$149,900

A-216 Studio SOLD

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B-6 Studio \$93,900

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N-14 1 BR \$139,900

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W-210 1 BR \$155,000

LOCKE MOUNTAIN

J-3 5 BR \$625,000

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2D 1 BR SOLD

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III-109 2 BR \$215,000

II-310 2 BR \$215,000

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A-106 1 BR \$155,000

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I-4 2 BR \$259,900

E-3 2 BR \$289,900

D-2 3 BR \$350,000

AREA TOWNHOMES

BETHEL INN/FARWAY

604 2 BR \$219,900

BETHEL INN/MILLBROOK

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CHAMBERLAIN CONDOMINIUMS

#14-B 2 BR \$150,000

#2A 2 BR \$184,900

#36-B 2 BR \$189,900

EDEN RIDGE TOWNHOMES

#5-B 3 BR SOLD

RIVERBEND CONDOMINIUMS

2 BR \$259,000

#17 1 BR \$139,900

SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES

#2 4 BR \$199,900

#5 4 BR \$229,900

#6 4 BR \$329,900

SUNDAY RIVER QUARTERSHARES

JORDAN GRAND 149 Studio \$15,000

232 Studio \$17,000

233 Studio \$20,000

235 Studio \$14,000

117/119 1 BR+Studio \$23,000

325/327 2 BR+Studio \$25,000

231/237 1 BR+Studio \$27,000

137 1 BR+Studio \$29,000

231/233 1 BR+Studio \$29,000

333/267 1 BR+Studio \$29,000

120/122 1 BR+Studio \$31,000

336 1 BR \$32,500

368 1 BR \$32,500

285/157 1 BR+Studio \$32,726

330/332 1 BR+Studio \$41,600

483 Penthouse Studio \$48,000

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LOT #9 + 11.03 +/- Acres \$164,900  
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**NEW LISTING!**  
  
31 MASON ST., BETHEL \$179,900

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825 BEAR RIVER ROAD, NEWRY \$194,000

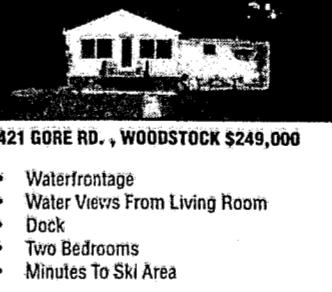
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135 VERNON ST 2C, BETHEL \$169,000 SATURDAY FROM 2-4 PM

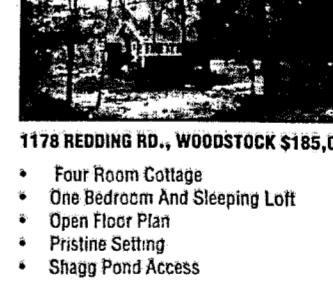
**45 PINE BLUFF RD., BETHEL \$339,000**  
  
• oversized lot- 6.8 +/- acres  
• superb construction  
• expansive views  
• 3 bedrooms 1 1/2 bath  
• daylight basement

**1178 REDDING RD., WOODSTOCK \$185,000**  
  
• four room cottage  
• one bedroom and sleeping loft  
• open floor plan  
• pristine setting  
• shagg pond access

**LAND**  
LOT 14 EAGLES NEST 5 +/- Acres \$32,000  
LOT #12 PARADISE RIDGE, BETHEL 1.02 +/- Acres \$79,900  
LOT #2 PARADISE RIDGE, BETHEL 1.45 +/- Acres \$73,000  
SOUTH MAIN ST., WOODSTOCK 5.8 +/- Acres \$43,000  
WILLARD ST. 1.27 +/- Acres \$49,900  
13 FARWELL MT. ESTATES 1.85 +/- Acres \$99,000  
MAHOOUSC GLEN SUBDIVISION 1.12 +/- Acres \$195,000  
LOT 1, WILSON'S RIPPS 3.95 +/- Acres \$60,000  
BEAR RIVER RD. 3.24 +/- Acres \$95,000  
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INTERVALLE RD. 4.32 +/- Acres \$149,000  
LOT #7 HIKE A WAY LANE BETHEL 1.19 +/- Acres \$59,900  
ESTES RD., WOODSTOCK 7.2 +/- Acres \$59,500  
RICHARDSON HOLLOW RD., WOODSTOCK 5.0 +/- Acres \$59,900

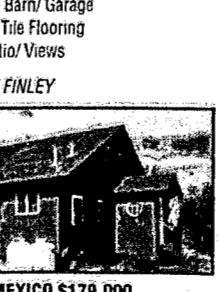
**LOT 39 KEYSTONE DR., NEWRY \$649,000**  
  
• true log construction  
• 3150 +/- SF of living space  
• 2 master bedrooms w/baths  
• wonderful living space w/ fireplace  
• heated oversized 2 car garage

**421 GORE RD., WOODSTOCK \$249,000**  
  
• waterfront  
• water views from living room  
• dock  
• two bedrooms  
• minutes to ski area

**98 PARADISE RD., BETHEL \$359,000**  
  
• 4 bedroom/3 bath  
• desirable village location  
• post & beam barn/garage  
• hardwood & tile flooring  
• gorgeous patio/views

**32 STEAMBOAT RD., NEWRY \$719,000**  
  
• 10 rooms/5 bedrooms  
• two master bedrooms  
• cherry cabinets & floors  
• striking views  
• powder ridge sub division

**57 ELM STREET, BETHEL \$259,000**  
  
• renovated 1870 new englander  
• 1 mile to base lodges  
• 3 bdrms 2 1/2 baths  
• fireplace, cathedral ceilings  
• wrap around farmers porch

**48 RILEY RD., MEXICO \$179,000**  
  
• gorgeous mountain view  
• 2 bedroom/1 bath  
• 1.63 +/- acres  
• daylight walkout basement  
• mudroom, laundry room and pantry off kitchen

**205 ROWE HILL RD., WOODSTOCK \$149,000**  
  
• historic home  
• close proximity to 5 lakes  
• 5+/- acre lot w/ sm. pond & stream  
• 4 bedrooms 1 1/2 bath  
• priced to sell

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## Births

Crystal Lambert of Bethel is pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Whyatt James Perham, born Jan. 15, 2008 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 5 pounds, 14 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Danielle Lambert and Thomas Perham of Winchendon, Mass., and Bethel.

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Paige Daye and Brian Mack of Rumford are pleased to announce the birth of a baby boy, Grady Andrew Mack, born Jan. 13, 2008 at Rumford Hospital, weighing 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Grandparents are Linda and Mark Beaudoin of Hanover and Suzanne Riggott of South Paris.

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The Citizen welcomes submissions of news items and photographs from local clubs and organizations.

The deadline for clubs and organizational items is noon Monday, but earlier submission is appreciated.

All news articles should be typed or printed legibly, and include the name and daytime telephone number of a contact person.

**Photos:** When submitting photographs, please identify the nature and date of the activity, the names of everyone shown in the photograph, and the name of the photographer. Please also provide the name and telephone number of a contact person.

Submissions can be dropped off at The Citizen office (behind the Bethel Town Office) or mailed to P.O. Box 109, Bethel, ME, 04217. During non-business hours, items can be placed in the mailbox outside our office. For further information, call 824-2444.

News and photos can also be submitted by e-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com.

**Returns:** Due to the volume of material passing through our office, we regret that we cannot be responsible for unsolicited submissions.

**Public Spaghetti and Oyster Stew Dinner**  
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**Saturday, February 9,**  
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